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Newry votes to stay in SAD44

By WENDY HANSCOM

Newry will stay in SAD44. Forty-four townspeople voted 19 to 25 last week to nip the latest withdrawal initiative in the bud. Voters at Thursday's Town Meeting asked only a few questions about how the withdrawal committee would be set up if the town decided to investigate pulling out. The pros and cons of the pull-out were aired at a public hearing on the proposal held earlier this month. A few people were caught off guard by the vote.

"I'm surprised," said Alison Aloisio, one of two Newry SAD44 School Board directors. "(SAD44 Superintendent Ronald) Jenkins said at the public hearing that he thought Telstar might have to take the high school kids back by law. With him having said that, I was surprised they didn't vote for it because that seemed to be a key issue last time."

Newry selectman Jim Sysko said he was disappointed, but also somewhat relieved the town didn't want to go look into withdrawal again.

"I'm breathing a sigh of relief because I won't have all those extra meetings," Sysko said.

The new addition to and the revamping of the Crescent Park

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JOCK MORTON

School in Bethel may have helped put the issue to rest quickly.

"I'm glad it went this way," said Jock Morton, the father of two pre-school boys. "I voted no. We went to see the new Crescent Park School, and I think it's fabulous."

Rhonda Buker was also glad to see the withdrawal attempt defeated early in the process.

"I'm glad we voted no," Buker said. "I think we should join forces for the betterment of our schools instead of splitting off."

CPS principal David Murphy said he thinks Newry parents will be happy with his new school.

"I think it was a good move on their part -- from an elementary

point of view," Murphy said. "There's going to be an awful lot of benefits for their children in our building. I think they'll be happy when they see what we have to offer."

SAD44's superintendent was also predictably pleased that the district wouldn't be left wondering what would happen to the school budget without Newry's \$1 million plus contribution.

"I'm pleased," Jenkins said. "I'm sure SAD44 is pleased with the results. We had hoped to continue a good relationship with Newry as part of the district. That's always been our hope. When I was told, I did a little cheer. We're very happy. It seems to me the people have spoken twice now and I hope this puts the issue to rest."

The town went through the full, complicated withdrawal process in 1990-1991.

The first time around, Newry voted to set up a withdrawal committee, which then drafted a plan to educate the town's students without SAD44.

But while a slight majority of the voters, 92 out of 180, favored withdrawal, the vote was far short of the two-thirds majority required by state law to leave the district.



GOAT MILKING--Twink the Goat gets a good pull from five-year-old Amber Cummings, as she learned the fine art of goat milking at Saturday's 4-H Goat Information Day. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

Bethel woman drowns in Songo Pond

By WENDY HANSCOM

Patty Kehoe-Noll, 40, of Bethel drowned Saturday in Songo Pond, while training for an upcoming triathlon.

As her husband watched from shore, Noll suffered an epileptic seizure about 600 to 700 yards from the pond's bank. Rob Noll had no way to reach his wife, according to Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife officials.

Chief diver Donald Gray of the Maine Warden Service recovered the body from about 20 feet of water. No autopsy will be performed, according to the state Medical Examiner's Office.

Noll, who had recovered from a brain tumor operation three years ago, was an active member of the greater-Bethel community.

She was a ski instructor at Sunday River Ski Resort and was Pro of the Year in the Guaranteed Learn to Ski Program.

She was also a volunteer for many organizations. She volunteered at the Crescent Park School in Bethel.

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That was then

Gordons' Rabbit Road tire dump (right) in 1990; and (below) the same site today. (Lower photo by Michael Daniels)



The little town of Greenwood has become a dumping ground for hundreds of thousands, perhaps millions, of waste tires from the Northeast and Canada.

Seven years of dithering, empty threats and concessions by the Maine Department of Environmental Protection has done nothing to stem the flow of tires into the dump site.



This is now

Where the rubber hits the Rabbit Road

Now the DEP is ready to offer the tire dump operators more time and more concessions -- and the DEP staffer responsible for the site admits there is no reason for the operators to take state enforcement threats seriously.

By WENDY HANSCOM and MICHAEL DANIELS

The state DEP is now considering allowing Peter and Susan Gordon to park more trailers at their Rabbit Road tire dump and to undertake a number of other upgrades there.

But the DEP is not interested in hearing public comments from Greenwood residents on the matter, nor do the state environmental watchdogs intend to meet with town

residents to explain their handling of the dump site.

Since 1987 the Gordons have piled from one to two million tires on the site, many of them from out of state. The DEP staffer working on the tire dump told The Citizen this week that fewer than one in five of the tires currently being dumped on similar sites in Maine come from within the state.

Town officials worry that if the Gordons go out of business, local taxpayers will have to bear the burden of cleaning up the site. Fighting a fire there could also prove costly, both for Greenwood and for Bethel, which under a mutual aid agreement would be first responder.

The DEP licensed the site in 1991, over the vehement protests of Greenwood officials, who argued that the Gordons had chronically violated state environmental safeguards and had shown no evidence of being willing to bring the site into compliance.

At the time of the licensing, then DEP commissioner Dean Marriot explicitly assured the town officials the department would enforce state regulations at the site, and he argued that granting the Gordons a license would make it easier for the state to control what went on there.

Marriot's word, however, proved no more reliable than his ability to predict the future -- six months later the site was still out of compliance with both its license and with the consent agreement that accompanied the licensing, but the commissioner, citing "prosecutorial discretion," backed down on the promised enforcement action.

Three years later the site is still

out of compliance, and -- as Greenwood officials predicted -- the Gordons have continued to pile tires there illegally.

The last state inspection of the site was more than six months ago. Since then another 100,000 tires have been added, according to Susan Gordon's estimate.

But the most recent state "environmental specialist" to deal with the site has indicated that the DEP plans no action against the Gordons for at least another six months.

Further, the DEP is now considering allowing the Gordons to upgrade the site still further, including parking more trailer loads of tires there.

The Gordons are asking for DEP approval to construct a pole barn, to improve the facility's access road, to build a retaining wall to prevent washouts in one section of the facility, and for permission to park more than a dozen trailers in a parking lot off the Rabbit Road.

Public locked out of the process Greenwood first selectman Marie Bartlett wrote the DEP requesting a public hearing on the application, but the request was turned down.

The DEP will take written comments on the application -- but since the site is considered to be "in enforcement" those comments will go into a file that is closed to the public.

"There are people here who have been upset about this for a long time," Bartlett said. "We wanted to ask some questions. We wanted to know about the DEP's plan to bring them into compliance with their license. We wanted to know about the escrow account. I think they owe us the courtesy of a public hearing after years of all this confusion."

The DEP apparently thinks otherwise. In a July 15 letter to Bartlett, DEP environmental specialist Michael Parker denied the request for a public hearing.

More concessions

The proposed improvements are to help the Gordons get more tires off the facility, Parker said. This would help bring them into compliance with their DEP license, he claimed.

The improvements, if approved, would be only the latest in a series of DEP concessions intended to "help bring the site into compliance." "It's not an expansion to the facility," Parker claimed. "It's designed to improve the flow through of the operation and the end result will be tires will come off the site. They asked us for more storage area and we said no to additional storage area. We asked them 'What do you need to get tires off the site?' and this is what they came up with."

And the usual threats

The Gordons may also be asked to get firm disposal contracts,

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Letters

SELECTMEN OVERSTEPPED

To the Editor:

On Monday, July 18, the selectmen of the Town of Bethel voted to use one of the Airport Industrial Park lots for public works use. They may not have the power to vote this change, and it was done with little or no input from the several committees involved.

The board of selectmen cannot change a decision made by the municipal legislative body, the Town Meeting. If at any time in the last 10 to 20 years a town meeting had voted to use this land or these lots as industrial lots, the selectmen do not have the power to change that decision. As an example, the town votes every 10 years to establish which roads will be maintained for summer use only. The selectmen cannot legally vote to change one or more of those roads to be maintained for year-round use.

At the time the selectmen decided that the purchase of Gamm II building should be accomplished, they also decided that their power might be limited in that respect, and they went to the Town Meeting for final authority as well as for the funding.

As to input before the final decision from committees responsible for activities concerning the industrial lots, checking with these groups reveals that selectmen did little or ignored the recommendations that were made.

The Airport Industrial Park Committee had no recent input but did recommend against the use of the lots at the time of the Cross Street report.

The Cross Street Committee did not have a full committee meeting to discuss alternatives and make a recommendation but did in their original report include the sum of \$40,000 as the value of the land. This is a cost to the town.

The Airport Committee was not contacted for comments.

The intent and purpose of the Airport Industrial Park is to set aside land within the Town of Bethel for the purpose of diversifying and expanding our area and local economic base, provide available lots with services for new or existing light industrial and manufacturing businesses to locate or expand, and retain and expand area and local employment opportunities. The loss of any of these lots is a future cost to the community.

It is suggested that the selectmen reconsider their vote and have a special Town Meeting to determine on the town's course of action.

This will not result in any holdup of the Bethel Station project if the selectmen take immediate action. A Town Meeting can be held in two weeks or less. The Planning Board still has not concluded its site plan review including the remainder of the public hearing which was held over. After the hearing is completed they have 30 days in which to make a decision. Even then there is construction work which can be started at Bethel Station without a decision on the public works site. It should also be pointed out that no decision has yet been made on the site for the ambulance garage.

There is still time for the community to be consulted and make a decision.

Norman Putnam
Bethel

THANKS FOR REUNION HELP

To the Editor:

I would like to take this time right now to thank Stonybrook Campground for letting the Class of 1974 hold their 20th class reunion there. I would also like to recognize some people who helped get this reunion to come to past. Kelly Olson, for all her hard work in arranging and book work; Kathy Jo, for all the help she gave Kelly; Wendy Cross, for all the nice decorating; Wayne Cummings, for the lighting and getting Bill Morton for the music; and last but not least, Randy Olson, for all the inspiration he gave us.

See you all on the boat in five short years.

Mary Stecher-Gross
Bethel

SAD44 board approves bus radios, moving sport fields

By WENDY HANSCOM

The SAD44 School Board has approved the construction of new Telstar High School softball and field hockey fields, and the purchase of two-way radios for the district's buses.

The Telstar Athletic Boosters have raised enough money to relocate Telstar's softball diamond and field hockey field.

An area behind the school's ski hut in the back parking lot will be cleared for the fields. The project will cost roughly \$5,000, which the boosters have raised through several fundraising activities.

Moving the fields will free up the upper playing field at Telstar, where the boosters would eventually like to build a track. The track will cost between \$180,000 and \$300,000. The boosters are applying for several grants, according to booster member Sarah Craig, but some matching funds will have to be raised.

Bus radios coming soon

The district's transportation department got final approval Monday's board meeting to purchase about \$27,000 worth of UHF two-way radios.

The purchase was part of the district's FY '95 budget. Transporta-

tion director Sonny Blake said the bus drivers have tested the system the district intends to buy. The district will bounce signals off towers on Mt. Abram and Black Mountain. Bus drivers could find no blind spots, or areas in the district where the radios would not work, Blake said.

Other business

In other business, the school board accepted the resignation of science teacher Richard Roy, and computer operator Kim Geraghty.

The board also appointed Linda Blackman as Telstar librarian/media specialist, and Laurie Wordsworth as a Telstar science teacher.

CPS gets software grant

The Crescent Park School in Bethel has been awarded a \$15,000 grant from the Betterment Fund to purchase computer software, and to help hook up satellite learning television at the school.

The Betterment Fund will give the school \$7,500 each year for the next two years.



NEWRY AGAIN SAYS NO—Suzanne Hayner casts her vote in last week's ballot on whether or not Newry should take a second look at pulling out of SAD44. The move was defeated 19 to 25. (Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Tire Dump

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Parker said, or risk losing their license.

"I'd like to see it as part of the application," Parker said. "We want to see overall improvement at the site within the next six months, which means getting tires off."

And what happens if they don't? Probably nothing.

"We told Peter and Susan that we've got enough information to ask them to voluntarily surrender their license or to revoke it and we will do so if we don't see any improvements. That's what they've got hanging over their heads," Parker said.

But even if the facility is closed, he said, the tires are unlikely to be going anywhere.

"The tires would still be sitting there. We've got tire sites all over the state just sitting there," he said.

And when asked this week if there were any reason for the Gordons to take the DEP's latest threats any more seriously than the previous seven years of threats, Parker replied, "No."

Still more 'market research'

Parker, who said he hasn't been at the site since November, said the Gordons' license allows them to cover 30,000 square feet (or three cells) with tires, but at his last site inspection there were 70,000 feet of ground covered. So they're about four cells over, he said.

The DEP doesn't expect the couple to be down to three cells within six months, Parker said, but

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does want them to make a significant dent in the piles.

If they start making money off new disposal contracts, Parker said, the couple will be asked to place some of that money in an escrow account toward clean-up if the facility ever folds.

The Gordons are currently researching markets for tire use and disposal, Susan Gordon said.

The couple plans to use the pole barn to sort recyclable tires, she said; the tubes, tires that can be resold, tire casings for retread, tires that will hold air and can be sold overseas or anything else recyclable.

Improvements to the access road and preventing washouts with a retaining wall, she said, will help trucks get around the facility better.

Currently, the Gordons have permission to park just two trailers at the facility's lower parking lot. They are asking for permission to park up to 15 trucks on that lot. Leaving more trucks down the hill from the facility will help get the tires in and out faster, she said, especially in the winter.

A recent fly-over showed at least 11 trailers parked in the lot.

No legislative action

Bethel's state representative, Republican Al Barth, also attended the futile 1991 meeting with Dean Marriott. (Greenwood's representative, Republican Rick Bennett, was unable to make the 1991 meeting.)

Following that session Barth discussed with town officials the possibility of introducing legislation that would make the state responsible for clean-up and firefighting costs at state-licensed sites.

To date, however, he has not submitted such a bill, but he said this week he was "very interested in the idea."

Bartlett said she is attempting to set up a meeting next week with various town officials and the area's delegation to Augusta.

Among the items to be discussed, she said, will be the need to initiate such legislation. "We got to stop waiting for the state to do something on its own," she said.

Ski area pitches new route into Jordan Bowl

By WENDY HANSCOM

Sunday River Ski Resort is proposing yet another route into Jordan Bowl.

The Newry Planning Board is considering an application for the "Jordan Bowl Access Road Kendall Option."

This is the latest of three possible routes the ski area has proposed for accessing its new Jordan Bowl area.

The road would extend Deer Run Road (a Monkey Brook Road offshoot) in the Mountain View Acres Subdivision, through property owned by Ronald and Marguerite Kendall of Bethel, across land owned by Roy Newton of Newton & Tebbets Inc. and onto ski area land.

The resort has option agreements for rights-of-way with the Kendalls and with Newton. The ski area also has an option on lot number five in the Mountain View Acres Subdivision.

The road would be gravel surface to start and owned by Sunday River Skiway corporate offices. It would mainly be used for access to a parking lot at the base of Jordan Bowl. If enough residential or commercial buildings are eventually constructed along the new road, according to mountain manager Burt Mills, it may be paved. The resort's cost estimate for the three-and-half mile road, which includes paving, is about \$750,000, Mills said.

At this time, the resort has no construction plans for buildings in Jordan Bowl area before the Planning Board. But the ski area is considering a lodge in the area for the

1995-96 ski season. Four ski trails are currently being cut in the area, and two lift lines are under construction. The trails and lifts should be ready for skiers this winter.

The Planning Board has reviewed the application at its last two meetings and will discuss it again at the Aug. 3 board meeting.

The resort may also propose another way into the bowl. Susan Hamill is considering giving the resort a right of way across her land to access the area. The Hamill land is near the South Ridge development. A road across the Hamill land would be roughly a mile longer than the Kendall route, Mills said. But it would also contain less grades of more than 10 percent, and keep traffic closer to the resort's main access road, Mills said.

Finksters Are GOP Trouble

By MIKE BROWN

Following the June primaries, Maine's Democratic Party seemed to circle its extended family for a kiss-and-make-up session. Smeared with house brand lipstick they all agreed to march together with their standard bearers in the big fall parade.

Remember well that the D-gubernatorial primary was a rather nasty scene for several months. It was a poorly disguised "Anybody But Joe" conspiracy which was overcome with ubiquitous Munjoy Bucks spread profusely about by Joe's buckeroos.

On the other side of the political fence, the GOP pre-primary in-fighting was not so fierce.

But when the Republicans settled on Susan Collins for the gubernatorial fall sweepstakes, the elephant house revealed a fissure which is a real peril to Collins' candidacy.

Leading the bats-in-the-belfry skirmish against Collins is the state GOP's quisling, Mark Finks of Falmouth's self-appointed in-house exterminator of anything Republican that doesn't resemble Attila the Hun. Finks fumes at the Collins' positions on gay rights, abortion and most things moderate. He also claims in a legal caption that Collins' election was invalid because she had a short interim as a Massachusetts citizen. Ergo, the GOP has no gubernatorial candidate.

Ironically, it has been the Democratic biggies who have come to Collins' defense on residency. Secretary of State Bill Diamond and Attorney General Mike Carpenter emphatically say Collins is the legitimate GOP candidate. So Finks sues Diamond.

Attorney Finks suffers from acute, and probably terminal, narcissism. He has for years attempted to take the Republican Party to the mirrored wall of his own image. That has been the wailing wall, however, of the minority Republicans for the past decades.

Finks, and there are other GOP'ers of his ilk, call Collins to the public witness box for her testimony on gay rights. It is true that a majority of Maine Republicans do not support a law that specifies sexual

orientation to prevent discrimination. Gov. McKernan vetoed such a law that barely passed both houses.

And although Collins' main opponents, Joe Brennan and Angus King are pro-gay rights, the successful gubernatorial candidate will not have a chance to sign or veto any such bill until it weaves its way so very slowly via amendment cloth through two houses of the Maine Legislature.

(Incidentally for the family record, Susan Collins' father, Donald, who was a state senator in the 115th Legislature, voted against a gay rights bill.)

The Finksters also attack Collins' stance on abortion, which favors women's rights, another departure from the right-wingers of the Republican party. The Collins' residency flap is a non-issue which seems only to fascinate the press. (Space aliens in the Blaine House!)

Honest Abe said that a house divided against itself cannot stand. It's ludicrous to assume that the rabbling Finksters have many reserved rooms at the Maine Republican Inn. But enough to make the residents and neighbors uncomfortable.

The image is the really big problem -- that the party is fractured, split, incapable of producing Maine leaders of stature. That sticky image oozes out to the feet of all Republican candidates.

The Republicans have plenty of trouble without the Finksters. If the November vote was taken in August, better than even dollars would bet on a clean Democratic sweep of the state's gubernatorial and congressional district races. Only senatorial candidate Olympia Snowe would survive November's donkey stampede.

Is that what Republican Finks & Co. really want? For the GOP, it all spells T-R-O-U-B-L-E with a capital T, as the Music Man said.

(Veteran newsman and columnist Mike Brown writes regularly on the Augusta political scene. His views are his own and do not necessarily reflect those of The Citizen.)

THIS WEEK AT THE

Moses Mason House

Genetta McLean, director of the Bates College Museum of Art, will be the featured speaker at the Aug. four monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society to be held in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Ms. McLean will make a slide presentation on D.D. Coombs (1850-1938), who was born in Lisbon Falls and acclaimed as one of Lewiston's finest artists. Coombs' "Record Book," in which he listed many of his paintings beginning in 1869, several sketchbooks which document various sites in New England where he worked, and an oil painting of his mother were recently donated to the Bates Museum and significantly contribute to an understanding of this well-known 19th century landscape painter. Coombs, perhaps best-known for his frequent inclusion of cows in his paintings, was designated during his lifetime as "Lewiston's Painter Laureate."

During her lecture Ms. McLean will provide images from the sketchbooks, as well as some of Coombs' paintings from the Bates College Museum of Art's collection, which holds the largest collection of his work. She will discuss his peripatetic life in Maine and Massachusetts and will introduce new information regarding the sale of his art in Lewiston and Auburn during the height of their industrial age.

Genetta McLean has served as director of the Bates College Museum of Art since 1990. She received her Ph.D. in art history from Ohio State University and has recently completed a book on the American Impressionist painter Dixie Selden. She is also regional editor of the forthcoming "Corpus of Early Italian Painting in North American Public Collections."

The 15th annual Sudbury Canada Days will be held on Aug. 12, 13 and 14 this year. A special feature this time will be an encampment by the 4th Regiment Maine Volunteer Infantry for the three-day heritage festival.

Events will get underway on Friday evening with the Hall Memorial Lecture by Jere Daniell of Dartmouth College, who will speak on "Town Founding in Maine: The Special Case of Sudbury Canada."

On Saturday, Aug. 13, there will be the usual events.

Sunday, Aug. 14, will once more feature the flower show, art show and the farming-logging exhibit.

Anyone wishing further information is urged to call the society of office at 824-2908.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: Cathy Swain was selected as Miss Mollycoddett '84. Winners of the frog-jumping contest were: first, Graham Wheeler, second, Jason Walega; third, Amy Todd. Jane Rolfe, David Bishop, and Mary Ellen Connolly were winners of the pie-baking contest. Gould Academy won first place for its float in the parade. Army Sgt. Alan Lowe arrived for duty at Camp Casey, South Korea. Births: Craig Angevine, Seth Wilson, Trisha Binette. Deaths: Dorothy Moore, Nellie Bowker.

20 years ago: Norman K. Ferguson Sr. was elected chairman of the Oxford County Republican Finance Committee. Scott Hurd, Mark and Marlene Bean and Karen Brooks received awards in the Crescent Park School Presidential Physical Fitness games held in the spring. Marriages: Wendy Cross and Barry Nevel; Ellen Dombkowski and Gerald Durgin; Ann Rolfe and Peter Blake. Deaths: Bertha Wheeler, Lucius McAllister, Lester Swan, Marie Harrington, Paul Robillard.

30 years ago: Newry citizens voted to build a new school located on Bear River. El Tor's Pizza Palace (formerly Poplar Tavern). Newry, advertised 29 different varieties of pizza as well as nightly dancing. Marriage: Beverly Crockett and Thomas Locklin. Death: Zenas Bartlett Sr.

40 years ago: Scott Gurney was guest of honor at a going away party given by fellow employees at the Bethel Inn. Employees of Hanover Dowel Company (formerly located at the corner of Cross Street and U.S. Route 2) enjoyed a field day featuring lobsters and clams at Sandy River, Lovell. Birth: Robert Belanger. Marriage: Annette Hiltunen and Albert Allen. Deaths: Arthur Garland, Florence Spaulding.

50 years ago: The Maine OPA issued a reminder that it was illegal for a person to give away their ration stamps. Gould Academy's first Holden Hall (a wooden structure formerly owned by Goodwin Wiley and designed by the noted Lewiston architect George Coombs) was being razed by L.E. Davis, who purchased the building from Gould's trustees. Deaths: Joe Spiny, Catherine Raimy.

CORRECTION

Last week's Moses Mason House column should have stated that 50 years ago Laura Wilson and Joseph Hatstat were married.

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Years ago: Jason Walega; third, Amy Jane Rolfe; David Bishop.

Years ago: Ellen Connolly were winners of the pie-baking contest.

Years ago: Academy won first place for at in the parade, Army Sgt. Lowe arrived for duty at Casey, South Korea. Births: Angevine, Seth Wilson. Deaths: Dorothy Nellie Bowker.

Years ago: Norman K. on Sr. was elected chairman of Oxford County Republican Committee, Scott Hurd, and Marlene Bean and Karen received awards in the Crescent Park School Presidential Fitness games held in the Marriages: Wendy Cross Barry Nevel; Ellen Kosowski and Gerald Durgin; Wolfe and Peter Blake. Deaths: Wheeler, Lucius McAllister, Swann, Marie Harrington, Obbard.

Years ago: New city citizens to build a new school located on River. El Tor's Pizza Parlor (formerly Poplar Tavern), advertised 29 different varieties of pizza as well as nightly marriage: Beverly Crockett and Thomas Locklin. Death: Bartlett Sr.

Years ago: Scott Gurney was of honor at a going away party given by fellow employees at Bethel Inn. Employees of former Dowel Company (formerly at the corner of Cross and U.S. Route 2) enjoyed a day featuring lobsters and at Sandy River, Lovell. Births: Belanger, Marriage: Annette and Albert Allen. Deaths: Garland, Florence Spaulding.

Years ago: The Maine OPA a reminder that it was illegal person to give away their ramps. Gould Academy's first in Hall (a wooden structure owned by Goodwin Wiley designed by the noted Lewiston architect George Coombs) was razed by L.E. Davis, who passed the building from its trustees. Deaths: Joe Spin-Catherine Rainey.

CORRECTION

Last week's Moses Mason column should have stated 50 years ago Laura Wilson Joseph Hatstat were married.

Briefly

Skeleton found on Mt. Madison

RANDOLPH, N.H.--Hikers on the Valley Way Trail on Mt. Madison last week discovered a human skeleton. Two New Hampshire hikers were headed for the Madison Hut for a Appalachian Mountain Club festival, when one left the trail and spotted a human skull, according to New Hampshire police. The hikers notified nearby AMC workers. The remains may be that of a woman who disappeared in the area in 1985, but officials have yet to determine if the skeleton is male or female. The skeleton was removed and transported to the New Hampshire state forensic laboratory in Concord for a detailed analysis.

Camp owners pay for fire protection

ANDOVER--The Silver Lake Camp Owners Association agreed to pay the town of Andover \$1,250 last week for fire and rescue services. The town of Roxbury had been paying for the protection, but Roxbury voters turned down this year's appropriation at Town Meeting. At last week's meeting, selectmen also appointed Glen Conrad to the town's Planning Board. He replaces former chairman Marshal Meisner who resigned recently.

Airport expansion considered

PARIS--Oxford Aviation owner Jim Horowitz agreed to turn over his corporate financial records last week to Oxford County commissioners. Horowitz is trying to get the county to endorse his request for federal grant money for an expansion project at Oxford County Regional Airport. Horowitz plans a 15,000-foot addition building to his present building.

Undercover drug agent stays

PARIS--Oxford County commissioners voted last week to help keep an undercover drug agent in Oxford County. The commissioners agreed to transfer \$2,000 from the county's "drug account" to the Rumford Police Department. The money will help pay for the \$13,000 benefit package for the undercover officer. The officer will continue to round-up street-level drug traffickers in the county, according to Rumford police officials. Rumford police are also asking other Oxford County police departments and town officials to help pay the undercover agent's salary.

Drop in exchange rate hurts OOB

OLD ORCHARD BEACH--The Canadian dollar is worth as little as 60 cents in the U.S., and it's stopping tourists from the north from visiting Maine. Old Orchard Beach merchants say they are being hurt by the exchange rate, some saying it's the worst summer they can remember. OOB tourists from the Montreal area amount to almost half the resort community's business. U.S. Customs Service officials report a 30 percent drop, compared to the same period last year, so far this summer in Canadian cars crossing the border.

Company drops expansion plans

AUGUSTA--Despite mounting controversy, Gov. John McKernon wanted to go ahead with his plan to ask the Environmental Protection Agency to transfer Maine "pollution credits" earned from auto-emissions testing an Aroostook County business. But last week Louisiana-Pacific Corp. of new Limerick said that because of the controversy, it was dropping its expansion plan in New Limerick. The planned expansion would have created about 70 jobs, according to the governor's office. Louisiana-Pacific officials said they will expand at another out-of-state facility instead.

G'wood man indicted in drug bust

PORTLAND--A Greenwood man was among seven people indicted last week on federal drug charges. The men have been accused of operating a marijuana ring in the Northeast between 1986 and 1993 and conspiring to possess more than 1,100 pounds of the drug with the intent to sell it. Those named in the indictment were: Richard A. Record, 33, of Patch Mountain Road in Greenwood, who was arrested last week; and Irvin R. Morris, 36, of Otisfield; Gary T. Dethlefs, 42, of Mansfield, Mass., who also owns a home in Harrison; and four people from Massachusetts. Federal officials plan to begin legal proceedings to seize the assets of the alleged drug ring, which include Massachusetts and Maine real estate, two boats and stock in a Connecticut corporation.

BBB work-at-home scheme warning

BOSTON--The Better Business Bureau is warning that a work-at-home envelope-stuffing scheme may cost its clients more money than it makes them. In April, Lifetime Nutrition Company did a massive nationwide work-at-home mailing stating it would "like to pay you up to \$600 per week" for stuffing envelopes. Potential workers are asked to pay a \$39 deposit. As of July 11, the BBB has received 3,496 inquiries about this offer. This is the largest number of calls ever received on one company in such a short period of time, according to BBB officials. Consumer complaints allege non-delivery of the envelope stuffing materials. Lifetime Nutrition responded to complaints by shipping the materials or providing a refund when it was requested. On June 14, the BBB wrote to the company asking them to substantiate their direct mail advertisement by providing the names, addresses and phone numbers of 10 home workers who have earned the promised \$600 per week. But as of last week the bureau has not received substantiation. The BBB is now listing the company as having an unsatisfactory record with the bureau.

Oxford West takes over Aug. 1

OXFORD--Oxford West Telephone Company will officially take over operation of eight former GTE Maine telephone exchanges on Aug. 1. Those exchanges are Andover, 392; Bethel, 824; Hebron, 966; Locke Mills, 875; North Norway, 527; Roxbury Pond, 545; West Bethel, 836, and Upton, 533. All local service previously provided by GTE will now be provided by Oxford West Telephone Company. Oxford West will become a part of the Oxford County Family of Independent Telephone Companies which also includes Oxford Tel. & Tel. and Bryant Pond Telephone Company. Customers with GTE calling cards may continue to use them until Oxford West replaces them with a new one. Telephone payments may be mailed to the Oxford West or dropped off at Preb's Pharmacy on Main Street in Bethel.

State and county police to talk unity

AUGUSTA--The Chief of the Maine State Police and sixteen county sheriffs signed an agreement last week to begin discussions on fostering cooperation and coordination between their agencies. The state police and sheriffs' departments have concurrent jurisdiction within each county, which sometimes leads to duplication of effort. Alfred R. Skolfield, chief of the state police, said he hopes the agreement opens up lines of communications to minimize conflict and maximize police services. There are 305 members of the state police and 217 full-time law enforcement officers employed by the state's 16 sheriffs' departments.

Local stolen goods recovered in N.H.

PARIS--Police say two New Hampshire men arrested last week by New Hampshire State Police may be responsible for several Maine burglaries in Adamstown, Cupsuptic, Gilead, Grafton, Lovell, Magalloway Plantation, Sweden, Upton and Wilson's Mills. Oxford County Sheriff's Department personnel traveled to the New Hampshire State Police Barracks at Twin Mountain last week to recover items stolen in May from several Grafton Township camps. Police say the men they arrested tried to sell undercover agents some property reportedly stolen from a Grafton camp. An aluminum boat with its Maine identification numbers painted over was among the items. The boat was registered to a Mechanic Falls man, whose Grafton camp was burglarized in May. Names of the men arrested were not available, more arrests are pending in the case which may involve juvenile thieves. OCSD officials will submit the results of their investigation into the burglaries to the Oxford County Grand Jury in August. In all, deputies recovered about \$4,000 in stolen goods.

Fourth-grade MEA test scores fall

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The most recent round of state educational assessment testing found SAD44 fourth-graders to be performing well below the state average in six of the seven content areas tested.

"I'm disappointed with some of the scores and the results district wide. We're going to look at that as we pull together plans for the schools this fall," said Crescent Park School principal David Murphy, who will become district elementary supervisor in the fall.

Among the three district schools, the Woodstock Elementary School turned in the weakest performance.

Superintendent of Schools Ron Jenkins attributed the disappointing performance in part to staff turnover at the school. "There are probably a hundred reasons that could be cited, he said, "There has been some instability in administration there. The school has gone through some changes and it will take time to get readjusted."

Districtwide (see graphs), local youngsters outperformed their peers statewide in writing, but lagged in reading, math, science, social studies, humanities and health. (Health is a new area pilot tested this year.)

The poor showing in this year's testing is in contrast to recent performance by other SAD44 fourth-grade classes. The district's average scores for the past three years are comparable to the state averages -- and well ahead in writing.

Among the district's three elementary schools, the Crescent Park School turned in the strongest performance in this year's testing. Its pupils took top marks in math, science, social studies, humanities and health.

Pupils at the Andover Elementary School earned the top marks in reading and writing, but their scores fell off sharply on the remaining content areas.

Woodstock Elementary School students produced the lowest district scores in reading, math, science and health.

Strong year-to-year fluctuations are common in the testing, especially when small class sizes are involved. State testing officials regard longer-term comparative scores as a better measure of program effectiveness (the MEA's are designed to evaluate program effectiveness, not individual student achievement).

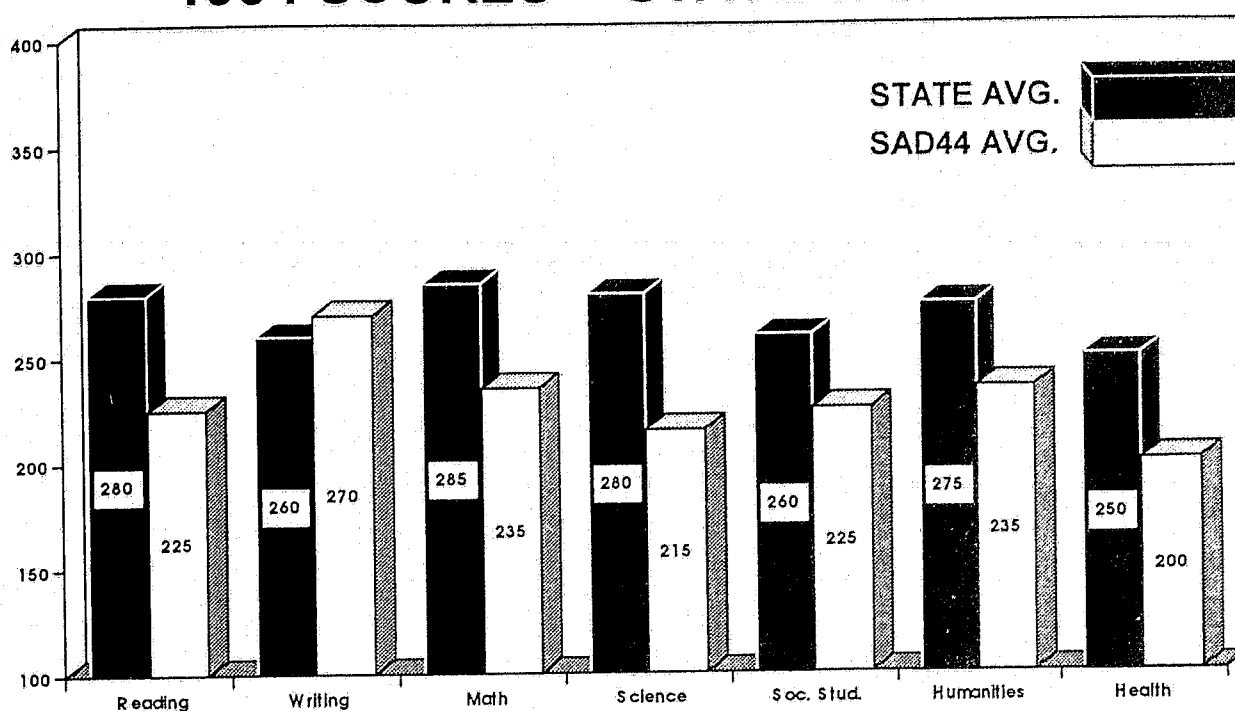
The three-year average scores for the district's three elementary schools shows each to be performing close to the state average.

But among the three local schools, W.E.S. also registers the weakest three-year scores in the district.

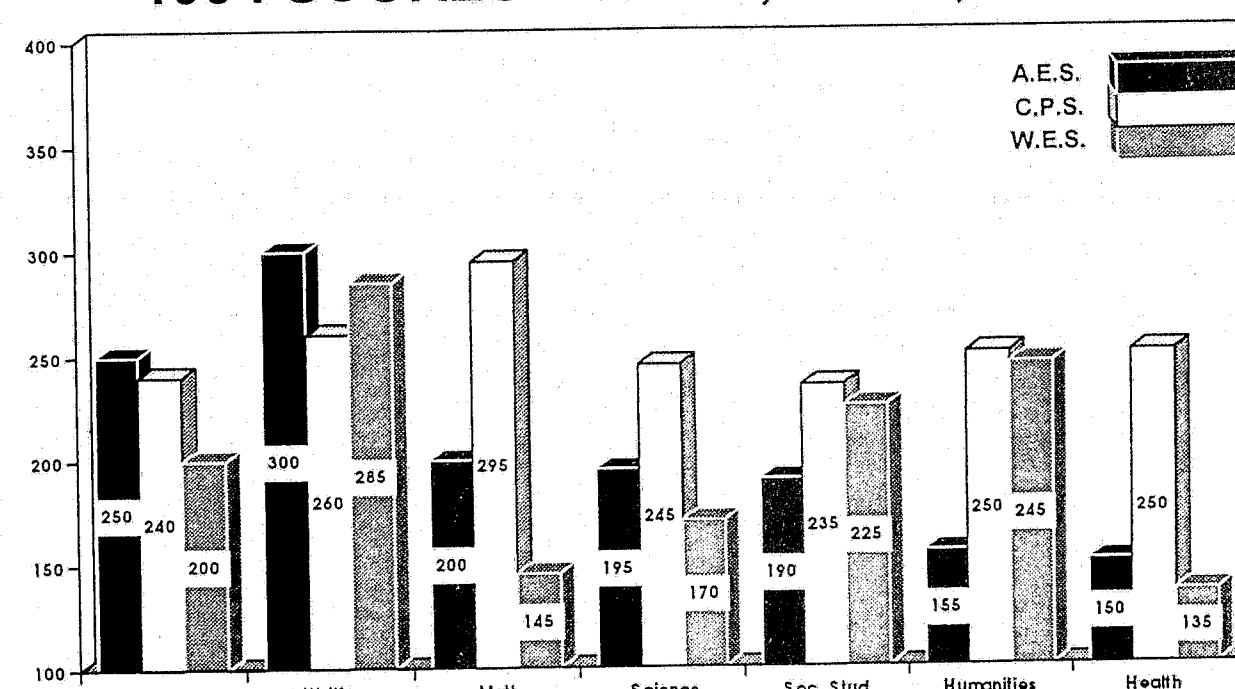
The low W.E.S. scores come despite the fact that (at least as measured by the test) the school's pupils come from families with educational and income levels equal to or higher than those of pupils in C.P.S. and W.E.S.

There was no notable gender gap in the most recent scores. Local girls outperformed their male classmates in reading and writing, but the boys earned the top marks in the remaining five content areas.

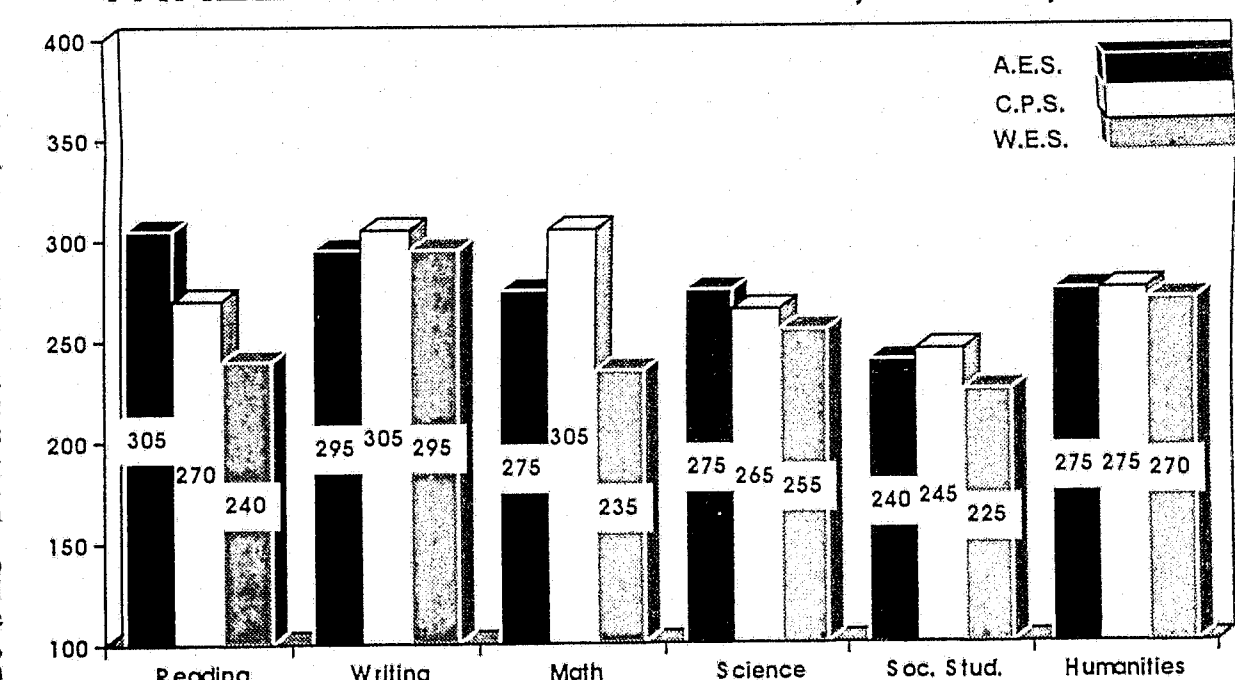
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Albany man tells police he hit Bethel cyclist

By WENDY HANSKOM

An Albany man told police last week that his car struck a Bethel bicyclist on July 15.

David A. Bennett, 27, did not stop at the accident but turned himself into police late Monday afternoon, July 18, according to Capt. James Miclon of the Oxford County Sheriff's Office. Bennett told police last week he was unsure at first that he had hit the cyclist.

Bennett claims his 1984 Pontiac Fiero was forced onto the shoulder of the road by a late-model, mid-size gray vehicle, Miclon said.

"He says when he was traveling on Route 35 toward Albany that a car heading toward Bethel came around a corner on (Bennett's) side of the road and forced him to the right," Miclon said. "Bennett says

he cut to the right to avoid the car then back sharply to the left when he saw the bicyclist."

None of the vehicles that stopped at the scene matched the description Bennett gave police of the gray vehicle, Miclon said.

Police would like to talk to anyone who might have seen a vehicle matching Bennett's description, or the car's owner. The sheriff's office can be contacted at 743-4252.

The bicyclist, William Graham of Paradise Road, was released last week from Stephen's Memorial Hospital.

Bennett was not arrested for his involvement in the accident but summoned for leaving the scene of an accident with personal injury and failure to report an accident by the quickest means.

From the Bethel Police log:

Burglary in south Bethel; N.H. man told to clean up his act

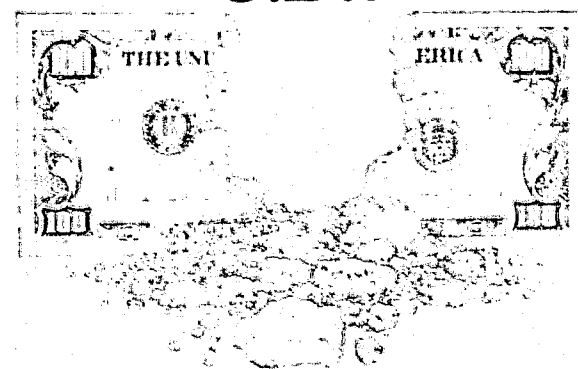
Thursday afternoon, July 21, a woman came into the Police Office and reported seeing someone dump trash out of a van and onto Main Street by Key Bank. Police responded and told a New Hampshire man to pick the trash up, which he did and then continued on his way.

Earlier in the day, a Massachusetts couple reported that their south Bethel home on Route 26 had been broken into. The couple told police a second story door had been pushed in. They reported \$65 worth of goods and cash missing.

In other police news last week, Saturday, July 23, Sunday River Ski Resort Security reported that two men on mountain bikes had not returned to the resort. Police cruised the Northwest Bethel Road and found the men, who said they were lost and their bikes were broken. Police transported the men back to the resort.

On July 19, a Bethel woman told police her estranged husband was following her. Police spoke to the man who said the couple had had a fight and he wanted to apologize. The report said the man acknowledged he might have gone too far, and he agreed to let his wife initiate any future contact between them.

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Bethel Station

Appeal and water hurdles cleared MDOT road, train station hearing tonight

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The Bethel Station project cleared two important hurdles over the past week -- when Kathy Hooke withdrew her appeal of a favorable Planning Board decision, and the developers and the trustees of the Bethel Water System signed an agreement on water supply for the project.

Hooke withdrew her appeal Wednesday, just hours before the Appeals Board was to hold a hearing on the matter.

Hooke, an attorney, was challenging the Planning Board's finding that the project's site plan application was "conditionally complete," -- despite the fact that the developers, at the time of the finding, had not submitted documentation covering many key aspects of the plan.

But she withdrew her appeal after a discussion with town attorney Geoffrey Hole, and receiving a letter from him stating that the Planning Board will look again at the conditions of completeness for the project before reconvening a public hearing on it.

"The second phase of the public hearing will not be pro forma," Hole wrote, "but will be an opportunity for members of the public, and members of the board, to make their substantive points regarding this project."

Hooke said Monday that she felt she had achieved her goal of "keeping the public hearing process open until the application is complete."

She also noted that by withdrawing her appeal she would "save the town some money." She said she had no plan at this time to launch further appeals.

Water agreement

The question of water supply for the project was apparently laid to rest Monday, with the signing of an agreement between the developers and the Bethel Water District.

According to John Head, president of the Water System Board of Trustees, all the improvements necessitated by the development will be completed at no cost to the Water District.

Head said he was "quite pleased" with the arrangements.

The agreement calls for the developers to contribute more than \$100,000 to upgrading the water lines on Mechanic Street, as well as the connections between Mechanic Street and the project.

The developers will also work with the Water District to secure grant financing for improvements elsewhere in the system.

The developers' actual contribution will vary according to costs and the availability of outside funding. In the event of a disagreement between the developers and the Water District regarding the implementation of the agreement, a third-party arbitrator will be utilized -- at the expense of the developers.

Road, train station hearing
The Maine Department of

Transportation will hold a public hearing tonight on the relocation and reconstruction of Cross Street, and on the possible use of federal funding for the construction of a new railroad station and siding adjacent to the existing railroad tracks.

The hearing will begin at 7 p.m. in the Telstar High School auditorium.

Following the MDOT hearing, the Bethel Planning Board will hold a regular hearing, at which it is expected to continue its review of the Bethel Station project.

Tonight's hearing and meeting are unrelated to the Planning Board's recessed public hearing on the project. That hearing will be reconvened at a later date, following adequate public notice.

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Andover

Town tax meeting set for September

By BARBARA ADAMS

Four articles will be on the warrant at a special Town Meeting in Andover on Sept. 10, including an article and a referendum vote by secret ballot to help reduce taxes, the selectmen said last week. The Town Meeting will begin at 10 a.m., and voting will follow from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

A public hearing on the vote will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 30, at 7 p.m. It will be held downstairs in the Town Hall in order for the meeting to be handicapped-accessible.

Article 1 will seek to choose a moderator. Article 2 will see if the town will vote to authorize the municipal officers to use the funds appropriated at the March 5 Town Meeting for MCI litigation in the amount of \$50,000 in order to reduce the 1994 tax commitment.

Article 3 will see if the town will fix a rate of interest to be paid for overpayment of taxes, with selectmen recommending eight percent, which is the minimum rate required by law.

Article 4 asks "shall the town appropriate from the COMSAT investment fund the amount of \$200,000 of principal to reduce the 1994 tax commitment." This vote on the referendum question will be taken by secret ballot, and if it is passed, the selectmen said, it will help reduce the mil rate to about \$13 per thousand dollars of valuation.

"The alternative means a mil rate around \$18 per thousand, or a 50 percent increase in taxes," selectman chair Kathy Williamson said.

The selectmen have also issued a statement to accompany the warrant, and both will be mailed to residents this week.

The statement notes that the meeting on July 7 with the State Bureau of Taxation concerning the loss of \$140,000 in MCI revenue "was a positive one, but nothing has been settled at this time."

"It is important that we proceed with the 1994 tax commitment," the board said. "In order to help bring

the mil rate down to a reasonable figure it has been suggested (by former selectman chair Wayne Delano) that the town use the funds from its COMSAT investment. The selectmen agree it would help remedy the present situation for 1994."

At a 1985 town meeting it was voted that the COMSAT monies be totally reinvested, and the interest handled as follows: 25 percent put back into principal, and 75 percent to be used to reduce the mil rate. This article can only be changed by two-thirds of the town's registered voters, the selectmen said, which has resulted in Article 4 of the Sept. 10 Town Meeting.

"This matter can only be addressed by a referendum vote of at least two-thirds of the registered voters of Andover," the board stated. "This fact alone will make using these funds from the COMSAT investment nearly impossible unless you, the voter, turn out to vote your choice. The funds were put into the investment to help reduce the mil rate for all Andover taxpayers; there is no better time than the 1994 tax year."

A two-thirds vote is imperative to pass the referendum, the board stated, and explained that some options are available to voters.

"It is highly important for voters to come out," said selectman Hal Frazier. "Whether voters will be on vacation or just don't feel like going out because of sun or rain, they should file an absentee ballot at the Town Office. We need everyone."

Williamson said if voters are confined at home, town clerk Phyllis Spaulding will visit them so they may vote. There will also be transportation available to and from the polls by calling the town office at 392-3302. The board also urges anyone who has not registered to vote to do so.

The selectmen also noted they apologize for the fact that the tax bills will be late this year, but feel "it is more important that they be decreased."

The tax commitment will be completed about the middle of September, according to Williamson.

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CONFIDENCE BUILDER--Kristen Pitcher catches Camp Sunday River counselor Glen Gordon in a ropes course trust fall exercise.

Camp Sunday River Campers hike, bike, learn about their environment

By WENDY HANSCOM

Camp Sunday River is in its second year, with a new emphasis on teamwork and appreciation for the natural surroundings in western Maine.

Camp director Maggie Sjostrom said the program has moved away from some of the more traditional camp activities, competitive games, for example, and toward a new approach that encourages campers to develop a variety of personal skills and to work toward improving their individual and team performances.

Campers are urged to master at least one thing they weren't too good at before they came to camp Sunday River. That skill might be in swimming, hiking, environmental education, arts and crafts, or mountain biking.

"We're staying away from activities where there are winners and losers," Sjostrom said. "We're trying to get the kids to work together as a team and learn each other's differences. We want them to learn to accept help when they need it, and help others with things they're personally great at."

Camp opens every morning with a circle sing and an update on the day's activities. Campers work together in groups in the morning. They hike, bike or take swimming lessons. In the afternoon the younger campers continue group activities. But the older kids are encouraged to sign up for three or four planned outings. This gives the older children a chance to work with a variety of their fellow campers, Sjostrom said.

Camp closes with another circle and a discussion of the day's events.

Campers in the program are also taught to appreciate their environment. Lunch, for example, is followed by a trip to the camp's compost pile and recycling bins.

The campers also play instructional "earth games." One game, for example, has campers pretending to be birds hopping from wetland to wetland, tracking the "birds" migratory path. Along the way, campers get a lesson on the value of wetlands to migrating birds and what might happen if those wetlands disappear.

The last session of camp begins Monday. For more information on the camp call Sjostrom at 824-3000. The two-week session is \$110.



HELPING HANDS--Camper Sarah Marshall is spotted by fellow campers as she tries the ropes course "Mohawk walk."



BALANCE IS EVERYTHING--Campers Josh Sjostrom (from left), Nick Tibbetts, Matt Hebert, Katherine Labnon and Abbie Bean practice the "telephone pole shuffle" as part of the camp's ropes course.



A KNACK FOR ARTS AND CRAFTS--Justin Donnaruma and Margaret Duplessis of Camp Sunday River try their hand at pipe cleaner art.

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So. Woodstock

By ANDREA WING

What a rainy, dark day! The street lights even came on for a while. It's been so hot and humid I guess the moisture just had to come out in rain sooner or later.

Perry and Darlene Estabrook were married on their boat in New Meadows recently. Perry is the son of Betty and Ray Estabrook. A reception at the Senior Citizens Center in Bath was held later in the day. About 200 persons attended, including the families of Emery and Cleo Ryerson and Erlon and Maudallice Hadley.

Troy Ryerson is working at Keiser Industries in Oxford. He is working in the roofing department of the manufactured housing.

Cleo Ryerson called and wished me a happy birthday Thursday morning. Other birthday calls came from my sisters, Evelyn Dunn of Campton, N.H., and Dotie Crisler of Tempe, Ariz.; my daughter Kellie Hart, and Beverly Stevens. I guess that's what happens when you get old (older). Everyone remembers your birthday. Tommy Poland took me out for a birthday breakfast at Trap Corner, which was much enjoyed.

I'm getting a little more used to shopping at the new Shop 'n Save in Oxford. It doesn't take me quite as long, as I'm getting used to where most things are located. I enjoy running into Elita Immonen almost every Friday morning, which is when I do my shopping early in the day, usually by 7 a.m.

Those students who had perfect attendance from South Woodstock this term are: Heather Demarest, Jennie Cox, Tanelli Koskela, Crystal Cash, Paul Cox, Nathan Hurd, Alishia Miclon, Matthew Moore and Melanie Ryerson.

The student from this area who made the Telstar High School honor roll in the fourth quarter was Becky Chandler.

Norwich University cadet Troy E. Wing, a sophomore in mechanical engineering from this area, received the American Legion ROTC Military and Scholarship Excellence Award during the spring awards ceremony. Congratulations, Troy!

Alisha and Amanda Miclon, along with Linsey Record, attended Basketball Camp in Casco for a week recently. The Miclons had their driveway hot-topped recently.

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society reports that the society forges a relationship between local people and the area. It also tells visitors the story of the area's heritage -- everyone benefits. Ruby Emery has given the society some paper items.

I've noticed Esther Davis out taking her nearly daily walk this week. Keep it up, Esther.

Kellie W. Hart, Helen Manjourides and Corinne Hammond all made the dean's list for this semester at the University of Maine at Augusta as part-time students. Congratulations! I know it takes a lot of hard work.

Karon Wing has a week's vacation from her job at Shop 'n Save in Oxford.

Doug Wing, son of Rick Wing and my grandson, played in the 13-year-old all-stars game at Oxford Hills High School last Saturday. This is the only game I have attended this year, and it was a lot of fun to watch the boys play. Doug was catcher for most of the game.

Richard Wing is home this Friday, as the MDOT has another shutdown day.

Quote of the week: "I've learned a marriage can survive almost anything except the husband staying home all day."

No. Woodstock

By SHANE BILLINGS

There has been a fox visiting us lately. It comes out every night and several people have heard it. Several

baby foxes were also spotted recently in Pete Rosenberg's field.

Emma Billings received a visit from Linda Tyler and Mary Fraser last Thursday. Mary brought her two boys, Kyle and Brian, as well. A nice visit was had by all. Emma also received a call from her granddaughter Sarah in California last week.

Dawn Davis recently went white-water rafting with her friends from work. She also attended a Steve Miller concert and had a great time.

Sue Silver and Louise Chapman took Joelle, Errol, and Bridget Billings to see "The Lion King" in Lewiston. They all had a good time.

Louise Chapman will be leaving for Washington to visit her daughter Alison. From there, the two of them will drive to California to visit Sarah. On July 29, the three of them will celebrate Alison's birthday together.

That's it from North Woodstock this week!

North Newry

By GIL SEELEY

On July 12, 13, and 14, a dozen Newry and area youngsters went on a canoe/camping trip with Kevin Slater, of Mahoosuc Guide Service, and Nancy Babcock.

The group put their canoes in the Magalloway River where Route 16 crosses and paddled to Pulpit Rock for the night. Dinner was cooked over a campfire and the group slept in tents.

The next day they paddled down to Umbagog and across the lake to the base of the Rapid River, where they unloaded the canoes, set up camp for the night, then practiced their paddling skills in the white water.

On the 14th, the group paddled back across the lake using their map and compass skills to get them to the Androscoggin River. Then they transferred their gear into Kevin's truck before practicing in the begin-

ning of the rapids and eventually paddling their canoes all the way through the rapids at Errol. Everyone came through the rapids in good shape and had a fun trip.

Many thanks to Kevin Slater for making this possible. Thanks, also, to Steve and Peggy Wight for the use of their canoe gear, and to Sunday River for donating some of the food.

Participating were: Justin Wight, Staci Littlehale, Anna Sysko, Amber Brooke, Kaycee Gilbert, Jeff Chandler, Megan Paquette, Emily and Thomas Parsons, Chris Vaughn, Shizuko and Meika Hashimoto, Kurt Wight, son of Brad and Brenda Wight was nine years old on July 19.

Katie, Kurt, and Kevin Wight are taking swimming lessons at Songo Pond.

Five members of the "Newry Bowling Gang" were at the Oxford Lanes, Rumford, last week: Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Gil Seeley, Louise Teitley and Olive Anderson. Rena Powers and Jim Anderson were guests. On the overall scores, Betsy was high on the triples and singles with one string of 123 and another of 132, giving her a score of 349 on the triples. She had four strikes and six spares. Karlene had three spares, Louise had three spares and Gil had three spares.

Saturday, July 16, Karlene and yours truly went to Bethel and watched the parade, etc., and were guests of Mother's Restaurant for lunch.

My "good neighbor" Ras Bachelder came and trimmed my lawn on Thursday. My yard would look like a jungle if it wasn't for Ras. Thank you "good neighbor."

Happy Birthday to Gretchen Wight Straus, Bob Bartholomew, and all others born between June 24 and August 23 in the sign of Leo. "Not to be taken seriously..." The people born at this time, the little babies are full of vitality and are always ready for fun. As they grow

older, they become very self-sufficient, ambitious and love the limelight. They are usually generous, earnest, sincere, eager to please themselves and the world around them, and in order to do so will take infinite work and go to infinite trouble. A Leo person is very aware of himself, always standing off and appraising the effect he is making. A Leo person can also be dogmatic, arrogant and bossy. Maybe a showoff? But they love children and animals, and are nature lovers also. Their birthstones are gold, sardonyx, and peridot, a yellow-green gem that can be easily fractured like the fragile ego of many Leo personalities. Their favorite flowers are peony, dahlia, sunflower, heliotrope, daffodil, day lily and marigold. Their favorite colors are orange, yellow-brown and golden shades. Famous people born in Leo...President Bill Clinton...

West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

West Paris Historical Society met on Monday evening with Bob and Beverly Glines on North Pond for a picnic/cookout with 25 in attendance. The rain stopped just in time, so it was a nice evening outside after all. The officers for 1994-1995 are: president, Harlan Abbott; vice president, Vernon Inman; secretary, Miriam Inman; and treasurer, Ida Gurney. The next meeting will be on Aug. 15 at the society building for a potluck supper and a work party upstairs.

On Wednesday night the Annual Meeting of the Universalist Church was held. Officers for the new year are: moderator, Joyce Lamb; clerk, Marta Clements; treasurer, Beverly Stevens; trustee for three years, Ivan Morey; trustee for two years, Nicholas Clements; and for one year, Roscoe Perham. The fundraiser for August will be a food sale on Aug. 3 at Littlefield Beach in Locke Mills. Donations of food will

be gratefully accepted and necessary.

Sally Doughty and Althea Field spent the day on Monday with Nancy Bernard at Pine Point.

The Parisians will be furnishing the music in the Park in South Paris on Aug. 2 from 6 to 8 p.m.

Vernie Inman spent last week at the Conservation Camp in Bryant Pond. The children went on hikes, learned how to fly-fish, went canoeing, learned water safety, had the hunter safety course and many other worthwhile outdoor projects.

The West Paris Library trustees and friends of the library are going to have a food and book sale on Saturday, Aug. 13, 9 a.m. to noon. Crafters are welcome to have a table at the sale.

Connie Bacon was at Rockcraft Lodge in East Sebago last Sunday and Monday for the meeting of librarians for the Small Public Library Association.

East Stoneham

By ELEANOR NELSON

On Friday, July 15, several from town attended the North Waterford World's Fair in Waterford and the pig scramble, which was a fun time. Joshua and Jennifer Barnard were two lucky ones to catch a little pig.

On Monday, Gladys Kilgore went to Fryeburg to her podiatrist with Eleanor Nelson, and while in Fryeburg they got some nice fresh vegetables from a vegetable stand.

On Saturday, July 16, Loretta Andrews and Grace Nelson tended the Church Thrift Shop and Bake Sale with good sales reported, but, unfortunately, Grace took a tumble and the Rescue Service had to be called to take her to the Bridgton hospital for treatment. She is at home at the present time.

On Saturday, July 16, Eleanor Nelson attended a get-together at Frances Partridge's camp on Lake

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East Stoneham

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Pennesseewassee. There 30 people there celebrated 50th Norway High School reunion. Frances was a and served a nice lunch. Crockett brought a baby decorated in class color white, and it tasted a looked. There were all around the lake for the bers and spouses. In the banquet was held at O all Norway High School. It was good to meet and get updated on all ings during the past year.

Joshua Barnard, Ma and Joel Barker attend Camp at Camp Hinds this past week. Their family night for family skills, stories and so Scouts around the camp.

The Stoneham Rescue having new and better facilities and septic this week.

Bob Tripp is on vacation in Waterford. The Church is collecting soup labels, in fact, a their products like Soy Vegetable Juice, Franco-American Preperide Farm.

Jenna and Lindsey taking horseback riding. Dianne Leighton's status this summer.

Judy Feeny, farmer with about 600 chickens, and Dick Feeny Greenhouse and Field American Cyanamid Ringoes, N.J., who had ing to Maine for 1 guests of Kate Flynn.

Bethel

Wanda Glover of Bethel, Thursday, July 21, was missing. She took Ruth in the forenoon and in they attended the funeral. Peter Leeman in Norway. Mr. and Mrs. Rod Sr., Nancy Anderson com, Elizabeth Bailey Robert Cole and were also among those services.

Rodney Hanscom, Hanscom, Jr., and R attended visiting hours evening.

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Pennesseewassee. There were about 30 people there celebrating their 50th Norway High School class reunion. Frances was a super hostess and served a nice lunch, and Betty Crockett brought a beautiful cake decorated in class colors of blue and white, and it tasted as good as it looked. There were also boat rides around the lake for the class members and spouses. In the evening, the banquet was held at Goldstreet for all Norway High School graduates. It was good to meet and reminisce and get updated on all the happenings during the past years.

Joshua Barnard, Matthew Nelson and Joel Barker attended Cub Scout Camp at Camp Hinds in Raymond this past week. Thursday night is family night for family picnic and skits, stories and songs by the Scouts around the campfire.

The Stoneham Rescue Service is having new and better bathroom facilities and septic tank installed this week.

Bob Tripp is on vacation from his work in Waterford.

The Church is collecting Campbell soup labels, in fact, all labels from their products like Swanson's, V-8 Vegetable Juice, Spaghettios, Franco-American Prego and Pepperidge Farm.

Jenna and Lindsey Barnard are taking horseback riding lessons at Dianne Leighton's stables in Albany this summer.

Judy Feeny, farmer of major crops with about 600 chrysanthemums, etc., and Dick Feeny, manager of Greenhouse and Field Research for American Cyanamid Company from Ringoes, N.J., who have been coming to Maine for 17 years, were guests of Kate Flynn last week.

Bethel

Wanda Glover of Rumford spent Thursday, July 21, with Ruth Cummings. She took Ruth to the dentist in the forenoon and in the afternoon they attended the funeral service for Peter Leeman in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom, Sr., Nancy Anderson, Brian Hanscom, Elizabeth Bailey and daughter, Robert Cole and Charlotte Cole were also among those attending the services.

Rodney Hanscom, Sr., Rodney Hanscom, Jr., and Ruth Cummings attended visiting hours Wednesday evening.

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Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

Franklin Grange 124 met on Monday night with Oxford Grange visiting for a two-point meeting. Fifty-two members and two guests were present. A 6:30 supper was put on by Franklin Grange and Oxford filled the chairs and put on the program. A committee was appointed of Ralph Hoyt, Carl Brooks and Wilma Day to see about selling the stoves and wood. Richard Felt will get estimates on lowering the ceiling in the upstairs halls. The state officers and deputies were welcomed. Bill Howe received his 50-year book and seal from deputy Louis Bisbee. It was reported Eleanor Hainer, past CWA director had a stroke and is in the hospital. The program was as follows: opening song by all -- "It's a Good Thing to be a Granger"; skit by Carl Swallow and Minard Roberts; music by Frank Pratt; Maid Blush Minstrel Show with Frank Pratt singing and seven women reciting; reading by Francis Conant; reading by Carl Swallow; more music by Frank Pratt. It was voted to hold a joint installation with West Paris Grange in September. The next meeting will be music and talent night on Aug. 1.

Larry Billings has given an art print and two booklets on foreign countries to the Historical Society. The society museum preserves whatever it can of the past and tries to make it meaningful. Curator Larry Billings has given some postcards to the society. Don't forget History Day is Aug. 6, and the society's annual picnic at the home of Ruth Cox.

Beth, Steve and Marybeth Hoover, Coming, N.Y., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hoyt, and other relatives for a few days.

Beatrice Farnum went to her daughter's and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Chase, Wednesday night for cake and ice cream to celebrate John Chase's and Jennifer Stevens' birthdays.

Each Tuesday is Bryant Pond hour on Channel IV TV at 4 p.m.

The Musical Supper, sponsored by Franklin Grange for hall repairs, on Tuesday evening, was very well attended. Thanks to everyone who helped and who attended.

A thank you to all who signed the petition for Larry as circulated by Evelyn -- and doubtfully she knew it probably would not be of any help -- but the reason was that it did show the signers love and respect for Larry.

LOCKE MILLS

By LORRAINE MILLS

Sorry about their being no news last week, but with Ralph home there did not seem to be enough time. Unfortunately, when Ralph comes there is always a long list of things that need doing that seem to take a man's touch, although when I was younger I used to do a lot of them. I've gotten lazy in proportion to my advancing years. I don't dare say old age because I would get a reprimand from those who figure what you say you will become. Anyway, I remember making a set of outside steps for my grandmother. This year Ralph made me a new set of steps. I'd like to get them painted, but there is no way with this wet weather. Anyhow, while he was here he took down Vera's pigeon flight cage, an end to an era. I sort of miss those pigeons. We borrowed Owen Brown's truck and took a couple loads of stuff to the stump dump. We went to Gorham, N.H., one day to do a little shopping; we also visited Ralph's Aunt Mary in North Norway and my sister-in-law Marolyn made us lunch. We discovered Ralph's camp had been broken into; there were a few smashed locks but nothing seemed to have been taken. Except for a few sentimental items which we removed, there's not much there but junk. We just haven't had time to sort out what we want to keep. As I say, most of it is more of a sentimental nature.

Ralph went back to Colchester, Vt., on Thursday. He reported his cats, Smokey and Max, were rather miffed at him for not being able to get out for a week, but they still had food and water in their automatic dispensers, so at least they had not run out of either. Usually he has someone check on them, but his obliging neighbors had moved since the last time he was here and everyone else close enough by were also on vacation. I'm sure it makes him uneasy to have to leave them for so long a time, but in the summer they do not ride well. At Christmas he always brings them.

I was expecting this week things would be back to normal, but I haven't really figured out what normal is around here. So far I've had this stomach disorder going around, have been caring for Gerry Shim's dogs for which she had loaned me her station wagon, and have bought a car which I have not yet gotten home due to illness, weather and extenuating circum-

stances. But it is bought and paid for, thanks to a generous gift from someone(s) in my church. I hope the Lord blesses them real good whoever they are. It has been a real concern to me having to cope without a car. When you have to haul water, dump, and shop, you need a car. My neighbors are very good about helping out but they have their own things to do and shouldn't have to bother with mine on a long-term basis.

Al, Crystal and Brent Lake were on vacation this past week. Saturday through Thursday. They spent it on McWain Pond in Waterford at Merrill's camp. Brent's cousin Jeff Howe from Oxford also was with them. Brent and Jeff spent most of the time in the paddle boat and canoeing. Wednesday they canoed the length of the pond. Al and Crystal had canoed the length of the pond on Tuesday, making it back to camp minutes before a thunder shower. Sunday morning, they went to the Kiwanis pancake breakfast at OHHS. From there they went to meet family members at Range Pond State Park in Poland to surprise Marilyn Howe with a 40th birthday celebration. Thursday, Rowena Dunham, Marilyn, Lisa and Scott Howe, Theresa, Matthew, and Kristina Koskela spent the day at camp with the Lakes. They had a great time enjoying the sun, swimming, paddle boating and canoeing. Crystal had prepared sauce and meat balls on Wednesday night for a spaghetti feed on Thursday.

Cindy Hart and Al Gross spent the week "up country." The kind of "up country" that one packs in everything. It would never do for me. I can't even remember what I went to the store for most of the time.

Wonder if everyone saw the news on TV about the bird that fed the goldfish. That was really a sight to behold. But she wouldn't feed the white one, only the gold ones. There's racism even in the bird community. The poor white one must wonder what he's done to be left out that way. The animal kingdom is a never ending source of delight to me. I would have liked to get on tape my long-haired black Jack, who walked in front of my floor fan the other day and then proceeded to nearly have fits trying to get his fur to stay in one place. Since he didn't realize what was ruffling it, he just kept twisting himself into all kinds of contortions quickly going from one area of his body with his tongue to another, until I took pity on him and removed him to a calmer place. The vet has al-

ready told me he needs some Valium, but somehow putting a cat on tranquilizers -- well, as WCSH's Bob from Bob's Basement would say, "Ain't that odd?"

Gilead

By LOUISE LORING

"Pack a picnic, Pocket a few dreams, Play frisbee in the park. Pour a potable, Paddle a canoe. Plunge into a mountain pool." Let the pristine freshness of a waning summer day be packed with fun-filled pleasure. Open the stored memories up when the first snowflakes fly. (Much as you take great pleasure in opening that jar of homemade jam.)

A touch of summer stored for later use. My recipe for country living. So get out there and enjoy a few good times. For it's true -- All work and no play makes Jack (or Jill) very dull boys (or girls). In fact, triple Nerds -- So have some fun. Enjoy yourselves and God Bless.

Josie Greenwood was operated on at the Androscoggin Valley Hospital in Berlin N.H., on July 12, to repair broken and pulled cartilage on her knee cap. Her son Joseph Boudreau Sr. of Fitchburg, Mass., and her grandson, Joseph Boudreau of Templeton, Mass., have been spending time with her. The Androscoggin Valley Home Health also visits Josie three times a week to help her with daily care and household chores. Get well soon, Josie.

Beverly Corriveau reports that on the 15th a large 1500-pound moose was struck and killed by an 18-wheeler above the town on Route 2 by the gravel pit. He had a beautiful large rack, which was in the velvet. He was struck in such a way that the meat was inedible. Someone removed his rack (unknown) as a trophy, it seems.

Beverly transported me to Dr. Ehlmann's in Norway for an office visit. We lunched at Shannon's, where I was surprised to encounter my "handsome" grandson Toni Childs as a dishwasher/bus boy. He was a July 4th, 1976, arrival to our family. A centennial baby!

My son Herbert Foster of Norway came on the 17th to enjoy a belated birthday dinner with us. We feasted on green peas fresh from the garden as a star attraction.

Debbie Cantelo and Jessica called later on the same day.

Little Benji Chapman has returned home to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Chapman of Ellsworth, leaving his grandparents empty-armed but with a lot of dear memories.

My husband sold his old lathe and his old car last week. He's on a roll as far as selling goes!

Mr. Coon hasn't been back to the area around here. I think he may have gotten a whiff of flea spray around the feeders. Something has deterred his visits.

Audrey Franklyn, Mildred McLain and I enjoyed a little get-together and a picnic in the park on the 20th. Some people have been very sick with a summer virus. So stay well everyone.

That's all from here, folks, for this week. And keep the Faith.

East Bethel

By NANCY MERCER

Mr. and Mrs. John Nordahl were at Acadia National Park for a week, returning on July 19.

Charlene Haines is back in CMMC, having entered on July 20. A throat infection is the problem.

Barbara Honkala and Florence Hastings were at the Bancroft cottage at Sebago Lake from July 18 to 22. Barbara returned on July 20.

Leslie Kricho from Connecticut was at the Bancroft cottage also.

Songo Pond

By ALICE KIMBALL

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Folsom hosted a birthday party at their cottage Sunday honoring the natal days of her mother, Mrs. Arlene Tanguay of Gorham, N.H., and her aunt, Mrs. Celia Gorman of Bethel, whose birthdays are two days apart. Other guests were Arthur Tanguay of Gorham, N.H., Louis and Carolyn Tanguay of Berlin, N.H., Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tanguay and three children from Baltimore, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Alphe Tanguay from across the pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tanguay and children, Jediah, Ben and Hayley of Baltimore, Md., are spending two weeks at the Tanguay cottage. The frogs of Ben and Hayley won first and second places in the frog jumping contest on Mollycock Day. The frogs were later released back into Songo Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lincoln and children and friend from Hingham.

See SONGO POND, page 8

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Mass., spent the weekend at the Lincoln home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Wentzell from Cape Cod spent a few days this week at the Wentzell cottage. Mr. and Mrs. Erland Wentzell visited there on Sunday.

Jeremy Lapham has employment at Camp Susan Curtis in Stoneham this summer.

T.J. Newell has returned to Massachusetts to live with his mother and has found employment there.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hatstat from Vermont spent a few days this week at their cottage here.

Norma and I were in Rumford on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Preble of Newburyport, Mass., are spending this week at their cottage after attending the "Oxford 250."

Do not ask to have your life's load lightened, but to have courage to endure.

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

Elsie Fuller was tendered a party for her 83rd birthday at a Ladies' Aid meeting last week. She received many gifts from friends and a cake through the Balsams Hotel in New Hampshire.

The Ladies' Aid members discussed the upcoming Fair scheduled for Aug. 27. An Elvis Presley impersonator and a champion fiddle player will provide entertainment during the day. Also featured is an outdoor barbecue.

Heritage Farm enjoyed balmy dry weather for most of the Bernier and friends reunion. Five tents and a camper were set up to house the overnight guests. Those and others who spent the day included the Roger Bernier and Paul Bernier families of Vermont; Mr. and Mrs.



PALMERS CELEBRATE 25TH-On June 26 family and friends gathered at Francis and Louise Palmer's home to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. Approximately 30 people came, bringing an item for the potluck lunch and warm wishes for the couple. Wedding photos, as well as recent photos were on hand for people to share. The celebration was concluded with the cutting of the cake. The couple were surprised and pleased with the celebration.

Edd from Chandler, Ariz.; Kathy Williford and crew who recently moved from Rapid City, S.D.; the Joe Bernier family of Lovell; the Lou Berniers of North Waterford; the Browns of Upton; Melanie Farmer of Augusta; the Bucks of Lewiston; Sidney, Jeanne and Seth Abbott of East Sumner; the Ray Berniers of Upton; Debra Clark of Connecticut; Margaret Mitchell of Upton. Dope and Babe Goodrun

joined the group around the campfire Saturday evening, entertaining with guitar and song.

The Planning Board met July 11 with four members present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Charron, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Charron and children of North Carolina; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Angell and family of Rhode Island spent a two-week vacation in Rangeley. They visited and hosted friends in Upton.

Andover

By KAREN MCKAY

The First Congregational Church will be holding a white elephant sale in the C.E.B. basement on Saturday, Aug. 6, Olde Home Day. Please keep the sale in mind when cleaning your attic, garage and closets. If you do wish to donate items, please contact Diane Cutting at 392-4491 or Shirley Gammon at 392-1022.

Just a week remains prior to the Olde Home Days celebration. The theme is "Early Occupations in Andover." Get some friends together and enter a float in the parade. The numbered buttons are available at local businesses now--buy one today so you'll have a chance at winning one of the great prizes in the drawing. Anyone heading an Olde Home Day weekend activity or anyone able to volunteer for an hour or so on Saturday, should attend the committee meeting on Thursday, July 28, at 7 at Trudy Akers home.

Mrs. Minnie Akers was guest of honor at a birthday party held on July 19. Family members attending the event were Linda, Dale and Carson McKay all of town; Julie Gribbin and daughters Brenna and Brigid of Hartsfield, Pa.; Kaye, Erica and Jeremy Moren of Columbia, N.H.; and Stephanie Percival of Durham, N.H.

John and David Percival recently returned from a month long motorcycle tour to Alaska. They reported they had an extraordinary experience and enjoyed the spectacular scenery.

Mrs. Minnie Akers' daughter Julie Gribbin and girls, Brigid and Brenna, of Hartsfield, Pa., are enjoying a visit. Tim Gribbin will join his family on vacation in early August.

The Calvary Congregational Church is hosting a fun day for Sunday School on Thursday, July 28, from 10:30 to 12 a.m. A luncheon will follow the activities that include

Roscoe the Clown, songs, skits and fun. All children and their parents are invited to attend.

Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

Perhaps one of the most eye-catching trees of our state is the white birch. It's the state tree of New Hampshire and one of America's most striking trees. It has a grace of line, a slimmness of bole, a clean, sleek look of beauty.

I have a few nearby and I admire them. The bark is soft, smooth and snowy white, with a delicate tan lining.

The Indians found the bark strong, light, and waterproof. It peels from the tree in layers, paper-thin and easy to write on, a characteristic that has given it the name of paper birch.

It was the Indian who taught the white man the art of making canoes from its bark. They had used it for many things before the arrival of the white settlers.

I had special thoughts of the tree this week, when I received prints of my birches, by my mailbox, just across the road. The pictures were taken on a morning just after a big snowstorm. I recall that morning clearly for I was standing in my night-robe, on my steps outside with no thought of anyone else about. So I was very surprised when I heard a voice call, "What are you doing out there in your nightie?" I knew then that someone was out even earlier than I and taking the same picture. (My secret thought was, "I hope he hasn't taken a picture of me.")

Of course there were many other things made of birch bark in those early days: covering and watertight pieces for a tepee, making baskets, dishes of various kinds.

Today we realize that stands of white birch should be conserved and

that peeling of the bark should stop. It leaves an ugly mark on the tree or brings death.

In search for a tree with which to honor American Mothers, the American Forestry Association chose the paper birch and it has been widely planted in tribute to mothers. It is now called "the Mother Tree of America."

One can scarcely imagine our New England hills without the white grace of the birch against a winter scene.

Robert Holt and daughter of Windsor were at the farm for the day on Saturday. On that day I attended the Curtis-Smith wedding at the church in Locke Mills.

On my way home from the dentist one day this week, I saw a mother moose and her baby. They had no interest in us or the car. They just kept eating and walking in the mud.

Patty

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and was also a flutist in the Mahoosuc Music Makers, a local community band.

She was physical education major in college, an aerobics instructor and an avid runner and biker. She organized the local annual Bike-a-Thon for the St. Jude's Children's Hospital. She also rode in the Maine Lung Association's Trek across Maine for the past three years.

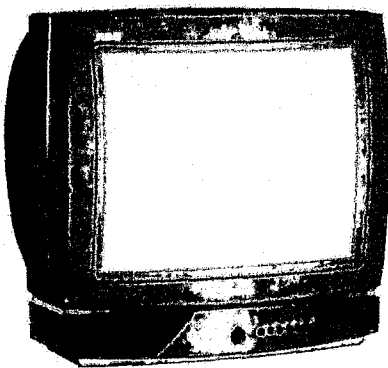
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At Sunday's Maine State Triathlon Classic, the Bethel Chamber of Commerce will present an award for courage in Noll's memory to one of the triathletes.

In addition to her husband, she leaves two daughters, Trinity and Sarah.

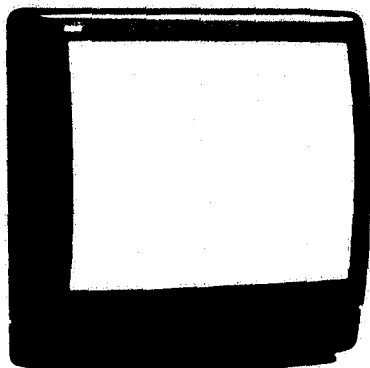
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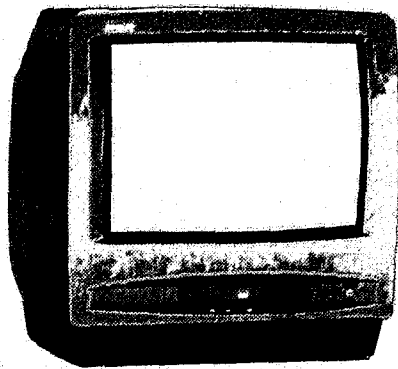
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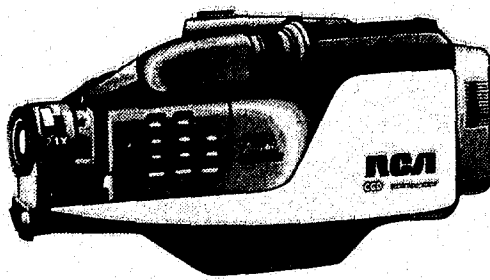
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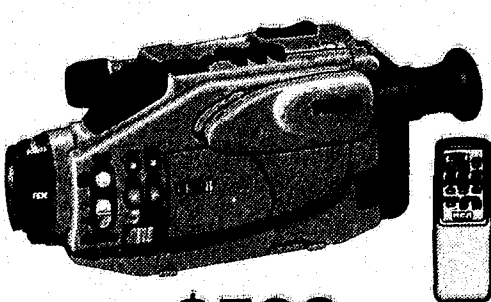
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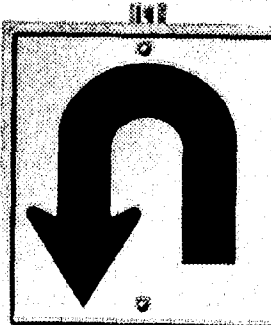
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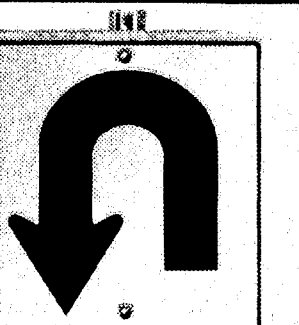
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The program had some financial problems last year when the state dropped its funding, and the program moved out of the Bethel Area Health Center.

But the group has actively sought grants and donations and has reestablished itself.

This spring, the Betterment Fund awarded Safer Families a \$10,000 renewable grant.

A variety of other fundraisers are also planned. Arla Patch of Woodstock has designed a new logo for the group, and Tina Colombotis of Bethel has incorporated it into jewelry, which will be sold to benefit the program.

Program director Lynn Mason said that the O.J. Simpson case in California seems to be prompting more abused women to contact domestic violence agencies across the country.

Safer Families, she said, is also seeing an increase in calls.

The program's court cases in Rumford District Court have increased, Mason said, and the Safer Families staff hopes to be able to find office space in the Rumford area.

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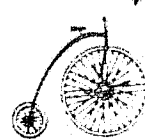


COOLING OFF IN THE BEAR RIVER—These Newry youngsters took to the cool, and sometimes downright cold, waters of the Bear River last week to seek relief from the heat. The weather has been, hazy, hot and humid for close to two weeks now. Weather forecasters were predicting a break for today, with a seasonable stretch for the remainder of the week.

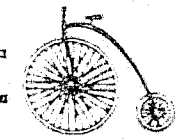
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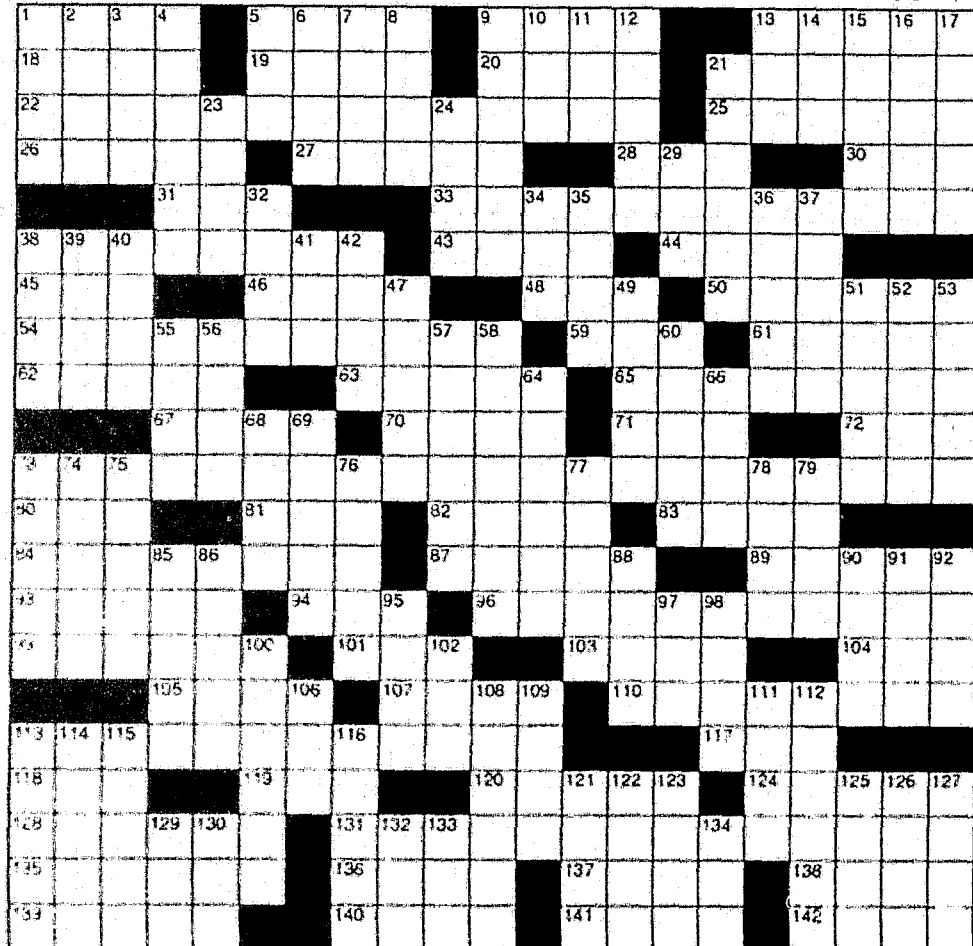
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Andover Olde Home Days

Andover Olde Home Days will be held Aug. 5, 6 and 7. This year's theme is early occupations of Andover.

On Friday afternoon, "No Strings Attached" will play on the Andover Common from 8 to 10 p.m. (free).

Dinner and entertainment at the Town Hall will be 6 p.m., advance tickets only. The dinner is sponsored by The Ellis River Riders Inc. Entertainment will be Ed Morris Hypnotic Show, Magic of the Mind.

The dinner theme will be logging camp cooking, and the menu includes roast pork, baked beans, stew, salads, homemade breads, biscuits and cornbread, tea, coffee and apple pie for dessert.

Only 100 tickets will be sold and must be in advance only. Tickets are \$10 each and will be available at All Season's Cafe. The Ellis River Riders will also host an all-day horse show on Sunday, Aug. 7, at their ring in South Andover.

The Saturday, Aug. 6, parade will be held at 10 a.m. Floats will line up at 9 a.m. on the Dump Road; walkers start at Betsy Fisher's field.

The Antique and Classic Auto Show will take place at Akers' field. Registration will be held from 8 to 12 a.m. and the show will be from 12 to 2 p.m. Trophies will be awarded at 2 p.m. The car show is put on by Western Maine Street Rods and sponsored by Linnell Motel & Conference Center, Rumford.

Mime artist, Charlie Who, will also perform on the common. Ron York and Connie Jack of Remuda Farms, Dixfield, will give free horse-drawn wagon rides again this year.

Buttons will be on sale with numbers attached for prizes to be drawn twice throughout the day.

Andover Library will have a display of wedding gowns from 1 to 4 p.m. The library will also raffie off a beautiful May Basket quilt made by Shirley Gammon and Joyce Frazier.

The Congregational Church will hold a white elephant and food sale. The luncheon will be served at 11 a.m. The church will also have a raffie of a carved woodcock done by Art Schroeder, as well as a quilt raffie.

There will be a scavenger hunt for ages 11 to 18. Lists for the hunt will be distributed at the band stand.

There will also be a chicken barbecue at the fire station and sky divers (weather permitting) on the ball field. Other events are: a flower show at the Historical Building, fly casting (Morse lawn), fire muster at Little League Field, horseshoe pitching, cow chip flip, arm wrestling, Karaoke on the common, Leland "Bud" Bechtel will give a lecture on UFO's at the town hall Saturday afternoon.

There will be an art show at the town hall from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., a dunk tank on the common, as well as lots of crafts and lawn sale items on sale all day.

The Olde Home Days committee would like to thank Pam Berry for the many hours of donated time she spent during the past three years in making the art show a success. It took a lot of time and hard work and we appreciate all that she's done in the past.

Judy Hall of Roxbury will oversee the art show this year. She has displayed her great oil paintings in previous years and has donated a framed original floral painting done in oils to raffie off with all proceeds going to the Andover Olde Home Days fund. Hall's husband has agreed to build display boards for paintings. The boards will remain in the town hall for future use. Anyone wishing to display any kind of art, i.e., carvings, water, pastels, ink, oils, etc., please contact her at 364-8761.

There's a dance Saturday night, with the Burley Bros., at the fire station.

On Sunday, Aug. 7, there will be live entertainment on the common. The Scoggin Cloggers will perform at 1 p.m. The Country Chords and Dick Haines and the Pine Tree Blue Grass Band will perform from 1 to 5 p.m. Bring a lawn chair and come and be entertained and relax for four hours. In case of rain, all Sunday entertainment will be moved to the town hall.

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Conservation school will hold auction

"Fly Casting lessons, used furniture, antiques, a 1937 canoe in excellent condition, a portfolio review and hour financial consultation, old tools, lift tickets — these are just a sample of some of the items and services going up for bid at our auction," said Jeff Parsons, president of the Board of Directors of the Maine Conservation School.

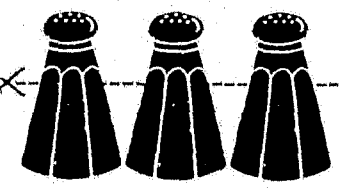
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The auctioneers will be Rep. Al Barth of Bethel and David Murphy, principal of Crescent Park School. Barth, who is also a past board member of the Maine Conservation School, said "the auction will begin promptly at 10 a.m. on the 3rd, and we're going to keep things rolling!" For information about the school, write to Maine Conservation School, P.O. Box 188, Bryant Pond, ME 04219, or call 665-2068. Camp openings are still available in August.

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ACTIVITIES

Thursdays: Sale of vegetarian food (proceeds benefit the Forestdale School) at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, Woodstock. For information call 674-2971.

Monday nights: mountain bike rides for all levels leaving from the Great American Bike Renting Company, Sunday River Road, 6 p.m., 824-3092. No charge, fun ride.

Tuesday nights, 6 p.m. to dark: Outdoor Recreational Volleyball for the public at the Col. Dyke Airport, Bethel. Courts provided by Bethel Air Service. For more information call 824-4321.

Every Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m.: Gaining Empowerment Allows Results (G.E.A.R.) summer meetings at NOVA Bldg., Congress Street, Rumford. For families of children with emotional/behavioral special needs. For information call Diane Farnum at 369-0542 or Debbie Buck at 369-0274.

Every Saturday through July and August, 1 to 4 p.m.: Greenwood Historical Society building will be open.

Tuesdays and Saturdays through July and August, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.: Fun Days for children at Norlands Living History Center, Livermore. \$12.50 per child per day. Call Norlands at 897-4366 for details.

Enjoy Norlands Living History Center, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., seven days a week, \$4.50 for adults and \$2 for students. Includes mansion, library, school and church and visit the animals in the barn. Large group reservations requested, call 897-4366.

Monday, July 18 to Friday, July 29, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.: The Andover Public Library will host a summer reading program for children in kindergarten through third-grade. The program consists of stories, music, games and crafts.

Wednesday, July 27, 7 p.m.: Bethel Planning Board and Maine Department of Transportation public meeting on relocation of Cross Street at Telstar High School auditorium.

Friday, July 29, 7 p.m.: Hymn sing at Pinhook Meeting House. Everyone welcome.

July 29, 30, 31, 26th annual National Kimball Family Association gathering at University of New England, Biddeford, Pool.

Saturday and Sunday, July 30-31, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.: Mid-Maine Gem & Mineral Show, Colby College, Waterville, featuring gems, minerals, jewelry, mineral specimens, geodes, fossils, fluorescent minerals, books, lapidary material, demonstra-

tions, flint knapping, planetarium, educational displays, refreshments and more. Information: call Ellery Borow at 547-3154.

Sunday, July 31, 2 p.m.: Hedgehog Hill Farm free public lecture on "Growing Everlastings." For information call 388-2341.

Thursday, Aug. 4, 5 to 6:30 p.m.: East Stoneham Church Supper (homemade baked beans, brown bread, casseroles, rolls, salads, pies, beverages). Adults, \$5, children under 12, \$2.50.

Aug. 5, 6, 7—Andover Olde Home Days. Activities for everyone.

Tuesday, Aug. 16, 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.: Preservice Training Class, sponsored by Department of Human Services for anyone interested in becoming an adoptive or foster parent for special needs children. Farmington site to be announced. Classes will be held nine consecutive weeks, one evening per week (usually Tuesday), free of charge. To register, call Patricia Beaulieu or Paula Lyons-Myrick at 1-800-482-7517 or 795-4628.

Saturday, Aug. 6, 4 to 7 p.m.: 11th Annual Chicken Barbecue at Kezar Lake Grange, North Lovell. Corn-on-the-cob, cole slaw, potato salad, rolls, ice cream and drinks (take-outs welcome and available). For information call May Fox at 928-3222.

History Day at Woodstock Historical Museum.

Celebration Mime Theater, 190 Stock Farm Road, South Paris, will present "Foolproof" at 8 p.m. (doors open at 7:30). Tickets: \$7 for adults and \$4.50 for children 12 and under. Reservations advised; call 743-8452.

Sunday, Aug. 7, 9 a.m.: The Ellis River Riders Open Horse Show at their arena on Airport Road, Andover. Admission is free. Plenty of parking. Food and refreshments available. Rain or shine. For information call Annette Marin at 364-3740.

Celebration Mime Theater, 190 Stock Farm Road, South Paris, will present Antonio Rocha In Concert at 8 p.m. (doors open at 7:30). Tickets: \$7 for adults and \$4.50 for children 1 and under. Reservations advised; call 743-8452.

Monday, Aug. 8, 7 p.m.: The Ellis River Riders' monthly meeting, Fire Station, Andover. Members and friends urged to attend. For information call Debbie Cayer at 392-2381.

Wednesday, Aug. 10, 11 a.m.: Bethel Senior Citizens' annual picnic at Stony Brook Camping Area, Hanover.

DISTRICT EXCHANGE

Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-8 p.m. and the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

SAFER FAMILIES

Safer Families of Oxford County sponsors free and confidential domestic violence services and support groups for presently or formerly abused women. Meetings are held in Bethel at 6:30 p.m., in Rumford on Tuesdays at 9 a.m. and in South Paris at 9:30 p.m. The Safer Families toll free 24-hour help and crisis hotline is 1-800-520-4220. For more information call 824-4222 or 1-800-520-4220 (24-hours a day).

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROGRAM

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and sponsors free and confidential services for presently or formerly abused women. Rumford office—369-0750; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

LIBRARY HOURS

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 1 - 6:30 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to noon.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hills: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

REACH

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

CHURCH SERVICES

Bethel West Parish Congregational—Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, worship service 9:30 a.m. July and August. Nursery care provided.

Church of the Nazarene—Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service.

Our Lady of the Snows—Rev. Albert B. Colpits, Mass—Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Alliance Church—Rev. Nathan Seckinger, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.

United Methodist—Rev. Henry S. Nickerson, 9:30 a.m. worship.

West Bethel Union—Rev. John Williams, 9:15 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible—Rev. Ron Provencher, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship.

Woodstock Bryant Pond Baptist—Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist—Pastor Michael Cabana, Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Andover First Congregational Church—Pastor Jane Rich, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service.

Calvary Congregational Church—Rev. Duane Waite, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:45 a.m. worship service.

Locke Mills Locke Mills Union—Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

East Stoneham East Stoneham Congregational—Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry Newry Community Church—Rodney H. Hanscom, 9 a.m. worship service.

Albany Congregational Church—Hunt's Corner, 10:45 a.m. Sunday summer worship, June through September. Rev. Kenneth Corstens, Pastor.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Gilead selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Every Thursday: West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town office, 6:30 p.m.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Upton Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Bethel Area Health Center, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge No 97, AF & AM. S.H.A.R.E. support group for parents suffering loss of infant or miscarriage, at Stephens Memorial Hospital 7-9 p.m., 824-2913.

CPS/PTA meets from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Babysitting provided.

The Bethel VFW Memorial Post 11363 meets at the Methodist Church on Main Street at 7 p.m.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

Third Sunday: Episcopal House Church at the Bohrs on Chapman Street, Bethel, 4 p.m., 824-2913.

First Monday: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m.

Second and fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at

7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Third Monday: Mundi-Allen pot luck supper and meeting. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

First Tuesday: Three Rivers Sportsman Club, Hanover 1 of 1 Hall, 6:30 p.m. potluck supper followed by a meeting.

Second Tuesday: Mundi-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m.

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Telstar High School Project Graduation Committee meeting, 6 to 8 p.m., room 106 at Telstar.

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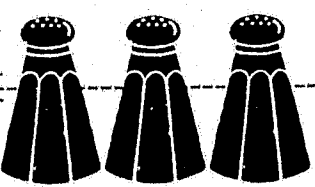
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Otten closes Attitash deal

Les Otten, president and CEO of Sunday River Ski Resort last week completed the purchase of controlling interest in New Hampshire's Attitash Ski and Summer Resort. Otten will become CEO of Attitash, with current Attitash CEO Philip Gravink remaining as president and general manager. Ambitious lift-and-trail expansion programs are currently underway at both resorts.

The closing took place July 19 at the base of the new Bear Peak expansion at Attitash, where a \$2.5 million expansion has been underway since July 8. The first phase of the Bear Peak project, scheduled for opening by Christmas of this year, will include the installation of a 4000-foot-long, fixed-grip quad chairlift and three wide cruising trails. All of the new terrain will be covered by snowmaking.

Bear Peak at Attitash marks the first major ski area expansion in the Mount Washington Valley in over a decade. Long-term plans for Bear Peak include a base lodge, an additional 150 acres of ski trails and up to five lifts. LBO Holdings also plans expansion and modernization of lift, trail and base facilities at the existing area.

"The expansion means more recreational opportunities for our guests, and jobs for the Valley," said Gravink. "The families who've played such an important role in the development of Attitash will remain as investors, and there are no changes planned in management and staff. The only significant change skiers will see is some wonderful new terrain this year, and continued improvements in the future."

Sunday River is a busy place this summer as well, with construction well underway in the resort's new Jordan Bowl area. The first phase of the Jordan project will access Sunday River's seventh mountain peak and add at least six major trails and glades covering over 70 acres of terrain.

The Jordan area will be served by two chairlifts: the resort's third high-speed detachable quad and a new double. A massive snowmaking expansion is underway to serve the new area; when the guns fire up this October, Sunday River will have New England's largest snowmaking system. Other projects at Sunday River this summer include base lodge modifications and the

construction of at least a dozen slopeside condominiums.

"The resorts complement each other beautifully," said Otten. "We've studied all aspects of Attitash and the Mount Washington Valley economy. We've got a sound plan to expand Attitash, and have the permits we need to do it. And there are fantastic things happening at Sunday River -- Jordan Bowl is the largest expansion in the history of Eastern skiing. This is going to be great for the regional economy."

Between the Attitash and Sunday River projects alone, the company is investing \$10 million in ski resort expansion. Otten is also a partner in the \$25 million Bethel Station project, on which construction is expected to start within several weeks. The first phase of Bethel Station, scheduled to open by New Year's Day, will include a Victorian-style train station for the Sunday River Silver Bullet Express ski train, a first-run movie theater and the first of several blocks of retail, restaurant and commercial space. A 140-room hotel and additional commercial space are scheduled to open in September of 1995.



ATTITASH CLOSING--With the blade of a bulldozer serving as an impromptu desk, Leslie B. Otten, president of LBO Holdings Inc. of Newry, signed documents to complete the purchase of controlling interest in New Hampshire's Attitash Ski and Summer Resort. From left, Tom Richardson, vice president/finance, Sunday River; Otten; Phil Gravink, president/general manager, Attitash; Burt Mills, vice president/mountain operations, Sunday River; Carl Spangler, assistant to the president, Sunday River.

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The Bethel Library

The Bethel Library T-shirts are ready.

They are red shirts with a stack of books on the front, and you may have yours personalized with your favorite book titles written on the spines.

Thanks to Jewel Clark for the design and Groan and McGurn for the screen printing. Ask at the library desk for more information.

Congratulations to the following children who completed the Summer Reading Program this week:

Crystal McBean, Lauren Hart, Karl Olson, Chelsea Marshall, Meg Trefethen, Ryan Trefethen, Brianna Douglass, Jason Howe, Britney Howe, Shawn 'Crockett', Andy Lowe, Travis Brooks and Ashley Brooks.

New books at the Bethel Library are: "Undue Influence" by Steve Martini; "Here we are in Paradise" by Tony Early; "The Agenda" by Bob Woodward; "Fist of God" by Frederick Forsyth; "Downtown" by Anne Rivers Siddons; "All My Octobers" by Mickey Mantle; "The Gift" by Danielle Steel; "The Liar" by Steven Fry; "Montana 1948" by L. Watson; "The Crossing" by Cormac McCarthy; "Confession" by Nancy Pickard; "The Alienist" by Caleb Carr; "Everything to Gain" by Barbara Taylor Bradford; "D-Day: June 6, 1944" by Steven Ambrose; "Walking Shadow" by Robert Parker; "Tunnel Vision" by Sara Paretsky; "Take" by Bill Marshall; "Forrest Gump" by W. Groom; "Map of the World" by Jane Hamilton; "How to Reduce Your Risk of Breast Cancer" by Michnovicz.

Betsy Raymond Librarian

Military briefs

Marine Staff Sgt. Spencer T. Kaulback, son of L.T. Kaulback of Andover, recently received a certificate of commendation and a certificate of recruiting excellence.

He was cited for superior performance of duty while assigned at Marine Corps Recruiting Station Eastern New England, Portsmouth, N.H.

Kaulback is a 1982 graduate of Rumford High School, who joined the Marine Corps in June 1982.

ADVENTIST BIBLE SCHOOL

The Woodstock Seventh-Day Adventist Church, on the Perkins Valley Road in South Woodstock, has scheduled their Vacation Bible School for July 31 through Aug. 6 this year.

The theme is "Earthmaker Mysteries." This is a brand new and exciting series about the world of nature and the wonders of God's creations. There will be skits by the "Good Life Team," songs, crafts, nature studies, games and Bible study and lots of fun. The program will be held from 5:30 to 8 p.m. each night, and children ages 2 and up are welcome.

Gould alpinists do 48,000 vertical meters on glacier

Alpine skiers at the Gould Academy Summer Camp on Grand Moitte Glacier above the town of Tignes Le Val Claret, France, returned this week after a successful camp in which each athlete totalled an average of 48,240 vertical meters of training, or 144,720 feet.

According to Gould alpine program director Tim LaVallee, putting in a lot of "mileage" was a major goal of the camp, in addition to basic skiing skills, and the successful completion of levels I, II, and III of the U.S. Ski Team on-snow medals tests.

The group spent 14 days on snow, racking up over 1500 gates per athlete on the training courses. Giant slalom tactics and technique were a major focus, as was developing knowledge regarding the devel-

opment of balance, agility, coordination, power and speed. Close to 50 percent of the training used free skiing as the medium to develop skills, but the skiers also had six days of training on a full-length giant slalom course.

Evening workshops were held on a variety of topics including: motivational assessment rating, thought patterns of winners, imagery and relaxation training, goal setting, and ski tuning.

The first few days saw a blizzard and rain, but the next 12 days were cloudless and warm. "We had good snow, extensive terrain, and a great variety of training opportunities," said coach LaVallee. The group also visited Val d'Isere, site of the Olympic downhill, and had a chance to visit the old city there.

Honor roll

The following students have been named to the Telstar High School honor roll for the fourth quarter.

FRESHMEN

High Honors: Daniel Emerson, Fred Emerson, Bethany Howe, Sarah Richardson, Kelly Szente.

Honors: Timothy Adams, Heidi Arcuni, Kevin Bean, Jennifer Buck, Jessica Cantelo, Jessica Pike, Monica Rolfe, Sarah Seames, Rachel Stowell.

SOBOMORES

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College grads Dean's list

Mark E. Day of Andover from Northeastern University in Boston. He received a bachelor of science from the College of Criminal Justice.

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	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Movie: "Flashdance"			News	M*A*S*H	Valley	H. Patrol	
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders		Rescue 911		700 Club	Bonanza		
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Mad-You	Wings	Seinfeld	Frasier	Dateline	News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Mallock: The Vacation"			Primetime Live	News			
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer	Maine	Maine	Mystery!		Stay Lucky	Served	Red Green		
(11)	Sportsctr.	Rodeo: Calgary Stampede Showdown	Boxing: Morrison vs. Norris			Baseball	Sportscenter			
(12)	Club Dance	News	B. Mandrell		Music City Tonight		Club Dance	News		
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Edition	In the Heat of the Night			Eye to Eye	News			
(14)	Tonite	Talk Sport	This Week in NASCAR			Whalers Encore: Hartford at Washington		WTA Tour		
(15)	Movie: "Crocodile Dundee II"				Movie: "Full Contact"		Comedy	Comedy		
(17)	Movie: "A Cry in the Wild"		Fred's Fling	Movie: "A Night to Remember"			One Small Step			
(18)	Mom and Dad		Movie: "Amongst Friends"			"Witchboard 2: The Devil's Doorway"	Movie: "Body Double"			
(20)	Minor League Baseball: Columbus Clippers at Pawtucket Red Sox					Major League Baseball: Red Sox at Yankees				
(21)	China Beach		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Deception: A Mother's Secret"		Unsolved Mysteries			
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Goodwill Games							
(24)	Doug	Muppets	Jeannie	Jeannie	Jeannie	Jeannie	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke		
(25)	Movie: "A Girl Named Tamiko"				Movie: "My Foolish Heart"			"A Girl Named Tamiko"		
(26)	Sweating Bullets		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Bitter Vengeance"		Wings	Wings		
(27)	In Search Of		Biography		A&E In Concert		Time Machine			
(32)	Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Renegade	News	Kojak			
(34)	Night Court	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates				News	Night Court	Highlander		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline		

FRIDAY EVENING JULY 29, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Major League Baseball: Milwaukee Brewers at Boston Red Sox				News	M*A*S*H	Valley	H. Patrol		
(5)	Waltons		Movie: "I'd Rather Be Rich"			700 Club	Bonanza			
(6)	Major League Baseball: Milwaukee Brewers at Boston Red Sox				Jack Reed: Badge		News			
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Fam. Mat.	Boy-World	Step by S	Mr. Cooper	20/20	News		
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer	Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Mulberry	Keeping Up	Young	Letter	Served	Red Green	
(11)	Sportsctr.	Speedweek	Auto Racing	Thunder		Motoworld	Baseball	Sportscenter		
(12)	Club Dance	News	Hot Country Nights		Music City Tonight		Club Dance	News		
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Circus of the Stars Gives Kids the World			Picket Fences	News			
(14)	Tonite	Celtics Encore	Portland at Boston			Women's Pro Beach Volleyball	Prime Cuts	Rockinghm		
(15)	Indiana Jones		Movie: "Zero Tolerance"		Crypt Tales	Boxing: James Toney vs. Charles Williams				
(17)	Rascals and Robbers	Secret Adv	Back to Hannibal			Movie: "Pals"				
(18)	"The Karate Kid" Cont'd		Movie: "Airborne"			Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop II"	Lady Chatterley in Tokyo			
(20)	NHL Hockey: Philadelphia Flyers at Boston Bruins		On Edge		College Hockey: 1994 Beanpot Tournament Championship					
(21)	China Beach		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "A Part of the Family"		Mysteries	Girls Nt		
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Goodwill Games							
(24)	Doug	Muppets	Dragnet	Dragnet	Dragnet	Dragnet	Dragnet	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	
(25)	Movie: "The Barbarian and the Geisha"				Movie: "Phantom Lady"		Your Life	Barbarian-Geisha		
(26)	Sweating Bullets		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "The Accused"		Movie: "Strays"			
(27)	In Search Of		Biography		Investigative Reports	Ancient Mysteries	Evening at the Improv			
(32)	Eat Daisies	Movie: "The Blues Brothers"				News	Kojak			
(34)	Night Court	Jeffersons	Lead-Off	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at St. Louis Cardinals			News			
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline		

SATURDAY EVENING JULY 30, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Empty Nest	Murphy B.	Movie: "Teen Wolf"			News	Movie: "Rocky"			
(5)	Bordertown	Skies	Movie: "The Spoilers"			Snowy River: McGregor	Country Music Spotlight			
(6)	Roseanne	Roseanne	Movie: "Palomino"			Sisters	News	Sat. Night		
(8)	Minor League Baseball: New Britain Red Sox at Portland Sea Dogs					Commish	News	In-Country		
(10)	Maine	Media W	Upstairs	Downstairs	Evening at Pops		Movie: "Les Girls"			
(11)	Sportsctr.	Hall of Fame	Induction	Arena Football: Tampa Bay Storm at Arizona Rattlers			Sportscenter			
(12)	Music Video Album Hour	Opry	Grand Opry	Stallar Bros		Hee Haw	Opry	Grand Opry		
(13)	Untouchables		Medicine Woman		Muddling	Hearts Afire	Walker, Texas Ranger	News		
(14)	Golf: Scandinavian Masters -- Third Round				Thorghbrd	Thorghbrd	Harness Racing	Volleyball		
(15)	"The Naked Gun" Cont'd		Movie: "Last Action Hero"			Dream On	Movie: "Nowhere to Run"			
(17)	Movie: "The New Adventures of Pippi Longstocking"				Movie: "The Murders in the Rue Morgue"		George Michael Concert			
(18)	"Nothing in Common"		Movie: "Indecent Proposal"			Movie: "Passenger 57"		True-Rom		
(20)	Major League Baseball: Milwaukee Brewers at Boston Red Sox					Golf: Scandinavian Masters -- Third Round				
(21)	"Love at Large" Cont'd		Movie: "Little White Lies"			Girls Night Out	Hartman	Hartman		
(22)	WCW Saturday Night		Goodwill Games							
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Clanissa	Pete & Pete	Ren-Stimpy	You Afraid?	R'house	Partridge	Lucy and Desi	
(25)	Movie: "The Lawless Breed"				Movie: "The Black Swan"		Jack Lemmon	"The Odd Couple"		
(26)	Wings	Wings	Movie: "The Terminator"			Weird Sci.	Duckman	Movie: "Bad Influence"		
(27)	Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Movie: "Bad Company"			Best of Comic Relief	Comedy on the Road			
(32)	Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates					News	Charles	Kojak		
(34)	Runaway	Riches	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at St. Louis Cardinals				News	"Cyborg"		
(39)	Capital	Sports Sat.	Primenews		Larry King Weekend	World News	Sports	Capital		

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SUNDAY EVENING JULY 31, 1994										
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(3)	Kung Fu: The Legend		Movie: "The Kissing Place"		News	Manager	H. Patrol	Paid Prog.		
(5)	Jungle	Big Jake	Country Music Spotlight	Snowy River: McGregor	In Touch		Ben Haden	Ankerberg		
(6)	Unsolved Mysteries			Movie: "Shadow of a Stranger"			News	Suspect		
(8)	Videos	Funnies	Lois & Clark-Superman		Movie: "Stay the Night"		News	Crusaders		
(10)	Creatures Great & Small	Nature		Masterpiece Theatre	Mystery!		Von Richthofen			
(11)		Baseball	Major League Baseball: Oakland Athletics at Detroit Tigers				Sportscenter			
(12)		NHRA	Racing	Raceday	Fishin'	Fishing	B'masters	Outdoors	Road Test	Our Way
(13)	60 Minutes		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "The Conviction of Kitty Dodds"		News			
(14)	Golf: Scandinavian Masters -- Final Round			Talk			Thorghbrd	Softball		
(15)	"Hot Shots! Part Deux"		Movie: "Jack the Bear"		Movie: "Doomsday Gun"					
(17)	Movie: "The Whipping Boy"			Aretha Franklin	Movie: "Beauty and the Beast"		"Carousel"			
(18)	Movie: "Singles" Cont'd		Movie: "Point of No Return"		Movie: "Single White Female"					
(20)	Minor League Baseball: Rochester Red Wings at Pawtucket Red Sox						Golf: Scandinavian Masters -- Final Round			
(21)	Movie: "Fatal Vision" Cont'd					Midnight Caller	Clapprood	Hidden		
(22)	Basketball: Dream Team II					Goodwill Games				
(24)	You Afraid? R'house	Nick News	Partridge	I Love Lucy	Lucy Show	Van Dyke	Newhart	M.T. Moore	Get Smart	
(25)	Movie: "El Dorado"				Movie: "Living It Up"			"Romeo and Juliet"		
(26)	Weird Sci.	Duckman	Movie: "Bitter Vengeance"			Silk Stalkings	Sweating Bullets			
(27)	Ancient Mysteries	Titanic: The Legend Lives On				Poirot	Caroline's Comedy Hour			
(32)	Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Mod Squad	News	Charles	Kojak		
(34)	Movie: "Shipwrecked"				Star Search		News	Twil. Zone	Lifestyles	
(39)	Pinnacle	Sport Sun.	Primenews		CNN Presents	World News	Sports	Business		

MONDAY EVENING AUGUST 1, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Midnight Run		News	M*A*S*H	Valley	H. Patrol		
(5)	Waltons		Triv. Purs.	Boggle	Rescue 911		700 Club	Bonanza		
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Movie: "I Know My Son Is Alive"			News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Coach	Coach	Movie: "Stay the Night"			News		
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer		Rough Guide	Banks	Clive	Joe Cocker: Night Calls	Served	Red Green		
(11)	Sportsctr.	Best of Sportscenter	Pro Beach Volleyball	Pro Beach Volleyball	Baseball	Sportscenter				
(12)	Club Dance	News	Full Access: Trill		Music City Tonight		Club Dance	News		
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Nanny	Dave's	Murphy B	Lova & War	Northern Exposure	News		
(14)	Tonite	World Sport	Basketball: Summer Pro League			Auto Racing: Pitslop Series		Inside Pitch		
(15)	"The Bad News Bears"		Movie: "Ricochet"			Comedy Hour		"Beverly Hills Cop II"		
(17)	Faerie Tale Theatre	Avonlea		Movie: "Stagecoach"				Robert Goddard		
(18)	"The Dirty Dozen" Cont'd		Movie: "Working Girl"			Movie: "Body of Influence"				
(20)	Major League Baseball		Major League Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox							
(21)	China Beach		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Without Her Consent"			Unsolved Mysteries		
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Goodwill Games							
(24)	Doug	Muppets	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	
(25)	Movie: "King Kong"				Movie: "Son of Kong"		Movie: "Mighty Joe Young"			
(26)	Sweating Bullets		Murder, She Wrote		WWF Monday Raw		Silk Stalkings	Wings	Wings	
(27)	In Search Of		Biography		Sherlock Holmes		Lovejoy Mysteries	Disaster	Disaster	
(32)	Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Mod Squad	News	Kojak			
(34)	Night Court	Jeffersons	Major League Baseball: Florida Marlins at Chicago Cubs				News	Emer. Call		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline		

TUESDAY EVENING AUGUST 2, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Movie "Harlem Nights"				News	M*A*S*H	Valley	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Triv. Purs.	Boggle	Rescue 911		700 Club	Bonanza		
6	Murphy B	Roseanne	TV Nation		Larroquette	Wings	Dateline	News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Full House	Sister, Sis	Roseanne	Ellen	NYPD Blue	News		
10	MacNeil-Lehrer		Nova		Seapower J'rny		Movie: "Dialogues With Madwomen"	Red Green		
(11)	Sportsctr	Superbouts	Hagler's	Motorcycles	Motorcycle Racing		Golf	Baseball	Sportscenter	
(12)	Club Dance	News	Randy Travis		Music City Tonight			Club Dance	News	
13	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Rescue 911				"R'wer of Rage: The Taking of Maggie Keene"			News
(14)	Tonite	Surfing	Sports Invitational		Equestrian: High Speed		NBA's Greatest Games		Cycling	WTA Tour
(15)	"Santa Claus" Cont'd		Movie: "Last Action Hero"				Gang War: Little Rock		Comedy	
(17)	Movie: "Hey There, It's Yogi Bear"			Disney	Nixon Interviews With David Frost			Ringo Starr: Going Home		
(18)	"A League of Their Own"			Movie: "Night Eyes 3"			Movie: "Martial Outlaw"		"Dave"	
(20)	Major League Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox									
(21)	China Beach		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie "Great Balls of Fire!"				Mysteries	
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Goodwill Games							
(24)	Doug	Muppets	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke
(25)	Movie: "Up in Arms"						Movie: "Everything but the Truth"		Movie: "Up in Arms"	
(26)	Sweating Bullets		Murder, She Wrote		Boxing: Hector Camacho vs. Steve Manfred			Wings	Wings	
(27)	In Search Of		Biography		Movie: "The Settling of the Sun"				Disaster	Disaster
(32)	Eat Daisies	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at New York Mets					News		Hazel	
(34)	Night Court	Jeffersons	Dugout	Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Texas Rangers						
(39)	Moreline	Crossfire	Primewins	Larrn King Live			World News		Sports	Moreline

BRYANT POND GRANGE

The happy combination of a great menu, some enjoyable entertainment, and nearly 300 diners combined to make the recently held Bryant Pond Grange "Musical Supper" a tremendous success.

Shortly after the food serving began, master of ceremonies Richard Felt introduced a variety of musical and speaking segments. The evening was concluded with several forms of popular dancing to the music provided by the Richard Felt Orchestra.

The planning committee, headed by Ernestine Riley and including Alice Hoyt, Lettie Brooks, Peggy Blake, Russell Yates, Olive Risko, Leah Deegan, and Evelyn Bean, extended sincere thanks to the many musicians, the people who provided all the food, the numerous merchants who donated door prizes, the hardworking kitchen and clean-up crew and the surrounding communities for their generous support for this Grange fund-raising activity.

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Crescent Park School mural is completed

Georgetown artist Dahlov Ipcar has recently completed a mural for the Crescent Park Elementary School. The mural will be installed in the new library addition, which is almost completed.

Dahlov Ipcar is a long-time resident of Georgetown, having first settled there in 1937 on her family's farm in Robinhood; which her husband ran as a small dairy farm, while she continued her career as an artist and writer. Dahlov Ipcar's art reflects her deep interest in animal subjects and nature. Her works are complex, featuring intricately patterned jungle scenes all done from her imagination.

The Crescent Park School mural, titled "Under Sun and Moon," is three feet high by 12 feet long, done in oils. It represents a scene of African animals and is divided into two parts. On the left is the sun side in bright yellows, greens, and rust tones; while on the right is a moonlit scene of blues, blue greens, and purples. Shown in lively action are such animals as zebras, antelopes, okapi, giraffes, lion, leopard and wild dogs.

This mural has been done under the Percent for Art program of the Maine Arts Commission after open competition with other artists. Ipcar has done 10 large-scale models, two in U.S. post offices in Yukon, Okla., and LaFollette, Tenn. "Golden Savanna," a 21-foot mural, is installed in the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children in Springfield, Mass. The other murals are in libraries and schools throughout Maine.



Four of the Maine murals: Gorham Narragansett School, Poland Community School, Georgetown Central School, and Lee/Winn Elementary School, were also done under the Percent for Art program. Schools in Wayne, Washburn, and Enfield Station have also purchased her art under this same program.

Since 1936 Ipcar has shown in all the major group art shows in the country. She had her first solo exhibition at the Museum of Modern Art NYC in 1939, and since then she has had numerous solo shows. Her works are represented in the permanent collections of many important art museums, among them the Metropolitan, Whitney, and Brooklyn Museums in New York City. She is also represented in all the leading museums of art in Maine, and in many corporate and private collections.

In 1945 she illustrated her first children's book, she has since written and illustrated 30 picture books. Nine of these are Junior Literary Guild selections.

In 1972 she and her husband together received the Maine State Award from the Maine Art Commission for "significant contributions to Maine in the broad field of the arts and humanities." In 1978 Ipcar received the Deborah Morton Award from Westbrook College, and an honorary L.H.D. from the University of Maine. In 1980 she received an honorary D.F.A. from Colby, in 1986 a Living Legacy Award from the Central Maine Area Agency on Aging, and in 1991 she received an honorary D.F.A. from Bates College.

TALLY-HO REUNION

July 31 will see former and present members of Tally-Ho 4-H Horse Club meeting for a 25-year reunion at the home of Gary and Janet Locke in Casco.

There will be a cookout at noon (everyone bring a potluck meal) with an afternoon of renewing old friendships and meeting other members who have passed through the club in the past 25 years.

Over 90 members, plus numerous leaders have made this 4-H Club successful through the years, with members reaching their personal goals, whether it was making the Maine Horse Team and traveling to the Big E, or just learning how to ride and enjoying the comradeship of the club.

Any former member wishing more information on this special day is asked to call Gary Locke at 627-4992 or Kay Daniels at 674-3551.

BRIDGE CLUB

The Cynthia Mason Round Robin Bridge Club schedule will soon be prepared for distribution among its members. Anyone interested in joining the group or in more information, is asked to call Pearl McMillin at 824-2500.

THURSTONS CELEBRATE 60TH ANNIVERSARY

On June 18, a 60th wedding anniversary and family reunion was held at the home of Donald and Harriet Grant Thurston at their North Yarmouth lawn and patio.

They were married in Rumford on June 23, 1934. Don and Harriet moved to Portland in 1940 and lived on Brentwood Street. After retiring from H.P. Hood and Sons, they moved to North Yarmouth in 1972. They are avid campers and have camped in every state of the United States and Canada, and are members of the North American Family Campers Association of which Donald served as the president for three years. They have three children, True Gauvin, Ronald G. Thurston and Donna Thurston; also 10 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Donald has one sister, Evelyn T. Bean of Bryant Pond, and one brother, Ray H. Thurston of Rumford. Two anniversary cakes made by True Gauvin and Evelyn Bean were served following the outdoor dinner.

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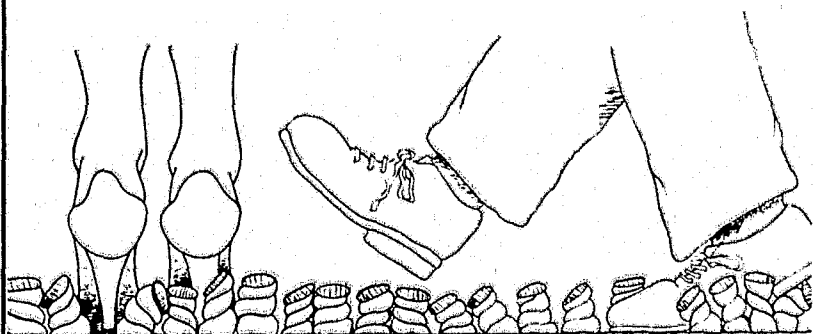
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Interested applicants should submit a letter, resume and other credentials to: Ronald Jenkins, Superintendent, Telstar Middle School, 284 Walkers Mill Road, Bethel, Maine 04217. Deadline for applications is August 1, 1994. EOE

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NEED RUGS SHAMPOOED & Upholstery cleaned; floors stripped, sealed & waxed etc. 28-31p

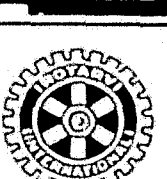
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RUMFORD COMMUNITY FAMILY HEALTH CENTER, INC. CLINICAL OPENING

Rumford Community Family Health Center, Inc. has a part-time opening for an LPN or MA at their Swift River Clinic site located in Rumford. Interested candidates should have a desire to be a team player and flexibility. Prior experience in a clinical setting and venipuncture preferred. Resumes may be sent to:

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Swift River Health Care
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POSITIONS AVAILABLE

VOLUNTEER PROGRAM COORDINATOR
October 1st opening for enthusiastic individual to coordinate rewarding opportunities for volunteers who provide adaptive ski instruction, office support and snowmobile transportation to children and adults with a physical disability. Strong skiing background necessary. NHS/PSIA adaptive instructor certification helpful. Will train the right person.

SCHEDULING ASSISTANT
November 1st opening for individual to schedule students and volunteers. Strong organizational skills a must. Computer and typing skills, oral and written communications skills necessary. Previous scheduling experience and medical background helpful.

TECHNICAL ASSISTANT
December 1st opening for individual to assist Technical Coordinator with daily standard and adaptive ski equipment preparation and maintenance. Prior experience with ski equipment helpful. Willing to train the right person. Applicants must have attention to detail and a strong ability to work as part of a team, in a fast paced environment. For more information on the above positions call (207) 824-2440 or send resume prior to August 8th to:

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NEIGHBORHOOD YARD SALE, July 29, 30, 31, 9 AM - 4 PM at Redman Residence, Rt. 219, West Paris. Ten inch Radial arm saw, sterling service for six, new china service for twelve, crystal pewter coffee service and much more! Come by and see us! No early birds please 674-2287. 30p

MOTORCYCLE, 4 WHEELER, CLOTHING, household items, lots of stuff. Saturday, July 30, 10-4, Rte. 232 - end of Gore Road go left 1 mile on right or call 665-2976. 30p

MOVING SALE: Saturday, July 30th, Dooen's Trailer Park, Billy Murphy's Washer, bed, furniture, refrigerator, some guns and other things! 824-2745, 9:00 AM. 30p

CHAPMAN-CUMMINGS CAMP Gore Road, Locke Mills, Bryant Pond. One day only yard sale - Saturday, July 30, 8 AM - 4 PM. Clothes, goodie bargain prices, come and talk to our Australian friend. Follow signs and balloons. Rain date, Sunday, July 31st. 30

FOUR FAMILY LAWN SALE, Saturday, July 30th, 9-4, First camp on Greenwood Road, Locke Mills. No early birds. 30p

RAIN OR SHINE Garage/Yard sale, Grover Hill Rd., Bethel. Starting 8 AM Saturday July 30 continuing thru Saturday, August 6th. Different stuff each day. Woodworking tools, old bottles, garden shears, der/composter, books, chair, bug zipper, household items, lots more! 30p

YARD SALE. Everything must go, including the yard! Furniture, Stuff, Art. Saturday, July 30th 10 - 5 PM, rain or shine. 1160 Intervale Road, call 824-4091. Free coffee or tea. 30p

SUPPORT GROUP for families and friends of the mentally ill. Meets first and third Tuesdays of the month, 6:30 pm at St. Athanasius/St. John Parish Center, Rumford. For further information call 1-800-464-5767. 23f

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS, Bethel Area Health Center, Saturday 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. For information call 824-6683 or 824-2945. 37f

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), Wednesdays, 7 pm, Bethel Fire Station. 11f

S.I.A.R.E., a support group for parents who have suffered an infant loss, stillborn birth or miscarriage. Stephens Memorial Hospital, first Thursday of each month, 7 pm. For information, call 824-2913. 24f

Bethel Freedom Group AA, which meets at Bethel Fire Station. Sunday 6-7:30, CBB; Tuesday 7-8:30 CWD; O-Literature; Friday 7:30-9C 12x12. 23f

AL-ANON, Wednesday, 8 pm Telstar Regional High. 28f

AA MEETS Wednesday, 8 pm, at Telstar Regional High School. 28f

BRAZILIAN GIRL interested in music, sports. Other Scandinavian, European, South American, Asian high school exchange students arriving in August. Become a host family/ABSE. Call Alexandra 802-442-2537 or 1-800-SIBLING. 30nc

FARMERS MARKET OPEN Saturday July 30th, 9 AM to 12. Fresh produce, flowers, and syrup. 30

Business/Commercial Opportunities

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE regarding the rules of financing, business opportunities and work at home opportunities. The Bethel Citizen urges its readers to contact the Better Business Bureau, Inc., Maine Division, 812 Stevens Avenue, Portland, ME 04103-2648. 6f

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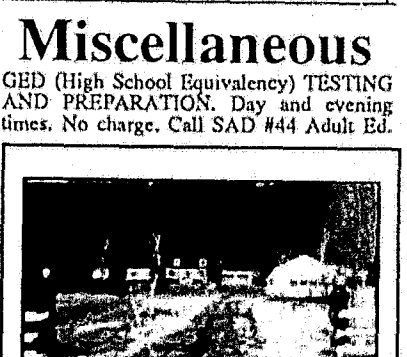
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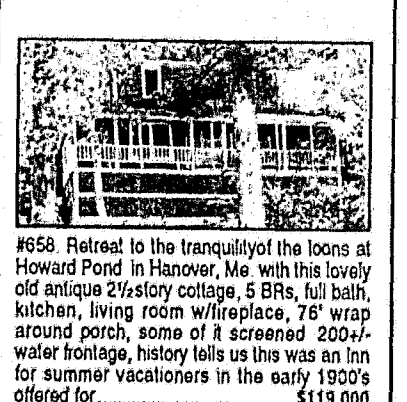
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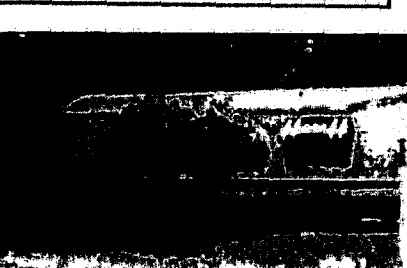
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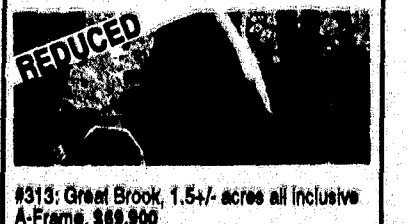
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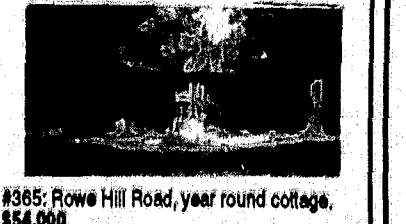
#352: Intown Gothic, fully renovated. \$148,000



#313: Great Brook, 1.5+/- acres all inclusive A-Frame. \$89,900



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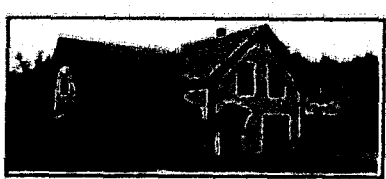
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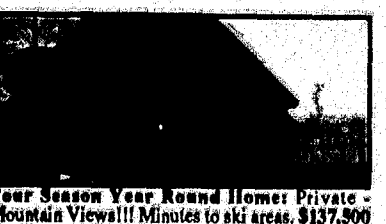
Three bedroom home with an enclosed porch nestled in Locke Mills Village. Nicely maintained, within walking distance of ponds and general conveniences. Trout bog bordering property. Just reduced to \$52,000



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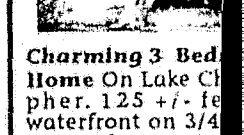
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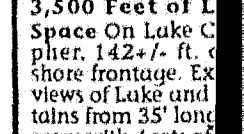
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Births

Doug and Cindy Beatson of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Carlee Cabral, born on July 14, 1994, at 8:24 a.m. at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 lbs, 7 ozs.

Maternal grandmother is Dori Cabral of Sudbury, Mass.

Paternal grandparents are Jack and Dawn Beatson of Oakland.

James and Mary Merrill of West Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Lyndsay Taylor, born on July 9, 1994, at 7:30 a.m. at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs, 2 ozs.

Maternal grandparents are Charles and Suzanne Taylor of Newry.

Paternal grandparents are Emerson and Loretta Merrill of West Bethel.

Lyndsay joins a sister, Kayla, 19 months.

Marybeth and Frankie Whitten of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Corey Owen, born on July 11, 1994, at 11:37 p.m. at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs, 10 ozs.

Maternal grandparents are Donald and Mary Isham of Bethel.

Paternal grandparents are Frank and Doris Whitten of Greenville, S.C.

Corey joins a sister, Stephanie, 3 years.

Card of Thanks

The family of Elizabeth Sennett thanks all who helped her, and us, through a very difficult time.

Dr. Dickens and his staff
Doctors and Nurses at Miles Memorial R.N.'s and C.N.A.'s from Kno-Wal-Lin Hospice Volunteers
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Rev. David Smith, Theresa Woods and friends from Second Congregational Church, Warren.
Rev. Waite of Calvary Congregational Church in South Andover.
Friends and relatives in Andover.
Hall Funeral Home in Waldoboro and Hawthorne Funeral Home in Mexico.

It's hard to lose someone you love, but you all helped us to get through.

May God Bless You

Charlotte Hayes
Freeman Farrington

FRIENDS ATTEND MEETING

Emily Ecker, Rachel Ecker-Polak, Arla Patch, and Per Sandstrom from Oxford Hills Friends Meeting recently returned from Amherst, Mass., where they attended a gathering of almost 2300 Quakers (members of the Religious Society of Friends). This gathering was held in early July, and the Friends came from 24 yearly meetings and 41 states, D.C., Puerto Rico, five Canadian provinces, Scotland, England, Costa Rica, Germany, Jamaica and India.

Eighty-four workshops were given on a variety of topics, from Quakerism to political action, from alternatives to violence to singing with joy.

Oxford Hills Friends Meeting worships together every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. at Ripley HOPE house in South Paris. If you have questions, please contact Arla Patch at 665-2224.

NAZARENE CHURCH TO HOLD SPECIAL SERVICES

The Bethel Church of the Nazarene will begin a series of special services Wednesday, July 27. The services will conclude with the evening service on Sunday, July 31. The 7 p.m. Wednesday service will consist of a seminar entitled "Church Outreach--Today's Opportunities" and will be conducted by Senior Pastor John Grant.

Thursday's service will feature a presentation by Hiroko Scribner on the country of Japan.

Saturday, the church will host an outdoor concert on the Bethel Common from 1 to 5 p.m.

Rev. Gloria Coffin will present the sermons at both the 10:30 a.m. and the 6 p.m. services.

Persons desiring further information may call Pastor Grant at 824-3766.

Card of Thanks

Thanks to all who donated to and attended our yard sale, making it another successful one.

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Card of Thanks

We want to thank our family and friends for a wonderful 25th Anniversary Party. We received many nice cards, gifts and a money tree! Special thanks to our daughter Melissa Palmer and her fiancé Dave Karas for all they have done for making our day so great.

Again, Thanks to All

Francis & Louise Palmer

Obituaries

PATTY A. KEHOE-NOLL

Patty A. Kehoe-Noll, 40, of Bethel, drowned Saturday, July 23, 1994, after suffering an epileptic seizure while swim training for a triathlon.

She was born in Leadville, Colo., June 13, 1954, the daughter of Dr. John M. and Ruth (Driscoll) Kehoe. She was educated in Leadville schools and graduated from Leadville High school. She then attended Fort Lewis College in Durango, Colo., majoring in physical education. Besides being a homemaker, she was a volunteer for many organizations. She was a ski instructor at Sunday River in Newry and was Pro of the Year in the Guaranteed Learn to Ski Program. She was an avid runner and biker and ran the Bike-a-Thon for the St. Jude's Children's Hospital and participated in the Bike Trek across Maine for three years.

Mrs. Noll also recovered from a brain tumor three years ago. She was also an aerobics instructor and was a member of the Harvest Chapel in Bangor, the Professional Ski Instructors Association and also

worked on the Young Life Youth Organization staff with her husband in the Oxford County area. She had lived in Bethel for three years after coming from Mount Desert Island.

She married Robin Noll in Bethel on Dec. 27, 1971.

She is survived by her husband of Bethel; her mother of California; two daughters, Trinity of Vail, Colo., and Sarah of Bethel; four brothers, Timothy Kehoe of Vail, Colo., Michael Kehoe of Oregon, Daniel Kehoe of Colorado and Kevin Kehoe of New York; seven sisters, Kathleen Day of Texas, Sister Maureen Kehoe of Kansas, Colleen Laine, Joan French and Sheila McGuirk, all of Colorado, Erin Ahrens of Alaska and Peggy Miller of Colorado.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, July 27, at 11 a.m. at the West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel with Pastor Stephen Hall officiating. There are no visiting hours. Arrangements are under the direction of the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Vernon Street, Bethel.

WILBUR L. SWEETSER

Wilbur L. Sweetser, 71, of Leavitt Road, Pittsfield, N.H., died Thursday, July 21, 1994, at the V.A. Medical Center in Manchester, N.H.

Mr. Sweetser was born in Sutton, Vt., on Sept. 22, 1922, the son of the late David and Christy (Phillips) Sweetser.

After serving with the U.S. Army during World War II, he worked several years as a logger in northern New England. He resided in New Jersey from 1954 to 1962, where he worked as a machinist for a Mack truck parts manufacturer. He later

worked for 25 years for the Ecco Wood Products Company of Locke Mills, where he was a member and former president of the United Furniture Workers of America, Local 77.

Mr. Sweetser was a member of the American Legion Post in Pittsfield, N.H., and was a recovering alcoholic, achieving nine years of sobriety and was a powerful example to his family and friends.

Family members include his wife of four years: Mary A. (Pervere) Felch Sweetser of Pittsfield, N.H.; two sons, David and Lloyd; two daughters, Tyrene M. Lovejoy of West Bethel and Marlene A. Gile of Mexico; an adopted son, Larry Prech of North Waterford; 13 grandchildren, a great-grandson; two brothers: Harvey Sweetser of Bethel and Richard Sweetser of Lewiston; three sisters: Grace Olson and Isabelle Stone of Bethel and Mary Merrick of Pittsfield, N.H.; and several nieces and nephews. Mr. Sweetser was predeceased by a son, Wayne Wilcox; a brother Henry Sweetser; two half-brothers, Robert and Delbert Sargent; and two sisters, Helen Allen and Pearl Bennett.

Funeral services were held at the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home, Hampton, N.H., on Monday, July 24. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery, Seabrook, N.H. If desired, memorial donations may be made to the New Hampshire Lung Association, P.O. Box 104, Manchester, N.H. 03105.

Phyllis M. Barnhill, 53, of Sarasota, Fla., died Sunday, July 24, 1994.

She was born at East Bethel on Nov. 6, 1940, a daughter of Almon

and Edith Coolidge. She attended Bethel schools and graduated from Gould Academy in 1959.

She had resided in Sarasota for 35 years. She retired from her occupation as a waitress in Florida, and prior to her move to Florida she worked as a waitress at the Bethel Inn. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church, former member of Lucky Clover Club and Alder River Grange, both in East Bethel.

She is survived by her husband, John Barnhill of Sarasota; four daughters: Brenda, Laurie and Anita, all of Sarasota, and Debbie Tacy of West Palm Beach, Fla.; three grandchildren; one sister, Mary Bean of East Bethel; three brothers, Earl, John and Victor Coolidge, all of East Bethel. She was pre-deceased by her father, Almon Coolidge and a sister, Arlene Coolidge Wesson.

Funeral services will be held at the Roberts Funeral Home in Sarasota on Thursday, July 28. Interment will be in Florida. A memorial service will be held Aug. 7, 2 p.m. at the East Bethel Church.

LUCETTA D. AKERS

Lucetta D. Akers, 100, of Wayland, Mass., died Friday, July 22, 1994, where she resided.

She was born May 23, 1894. Mrs. Akers worked as a teacher in the Andover public school system for several years prior to moving to Weston, Mass. where she resided until moving to Wayland, Mass.

She is survived by two sons, Guy L. Akers of Southboro, Mass. and Robert P. Akers of Grafton, Mass.; one daughter, Barbara A. Williams of Wayland, Mass.; nine grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Donations can be made to the First Baptist Church in Weston, Mass., 657 Boston Post Road, Weston, Mass., 02193.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bethel Board of Selectmen will be in session on Monday, August 8, 1994, 7:00 PM in the meeting room of the Bethel Town Office to hear comments on a VICTUALER license application from Dunton/Gillis Enterprises d/b/a Pat's Pizza of Bethel located on Mayville Road.

PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Title 28 M.R.S.A., 252 -- a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on August 8, 1994 at 7:00 o'clock PM at the Bethel Town Office to consider a liquor license application from Dunton/Gillis Enterprises d/b/a Pat's Pizza of Bethel located on Mayville Road. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bethel Planning Board will hold its July 27, 1994 meeting at the Telstar High School auditorium at 7:00 p.m.

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